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RANDOM REMARKS

Under the above title in a recent issue of THE COLUMBIAN, we read: "That a place the size of Bloomsburg should be without free delivery of mail is quite a reflection upon the land of the free." That any portion of our American citizens are entitled to such a privilege, to the exclusion of all the rest, is not only a reflection upon the land of the free, but a base usurpation of power of privileged classes against the rights and immunities of the masses. We boast of our American liberties. But the table that is spread for the feast of her citizens is so arranged that, while fish and meat are devoured by the classes, the bones and crumbs are thrown to the masses. It is not only so in reference to free mail delivery, but in every department that distinguishes the classes above the masses. The masses of our people to-day suffer as great grievances against the privileged classes as the masses suffered in the Colonial times against the mother country. But this is no fault of the Constitution —our "hagna Charter"—but the fault of those in whom we confide to make our laws to apply equally to all in their benefits; but who not only betray their trusts, but also their constituency, whom they ought to serve instead of selling them to the plutocrats like a horde of slaves.

The mutterings and thunderings are heard in every nook and corner; the signs are clear and unmistakable of the coming storm, and one of the greatest revolutions of the age, (bloodless we hope) will burst upon the country and sweep to oblivion the distinction of privileges between the classes and the masses as effectually as it did in the war of the late rebellion between master and slave. If a citizen anywhere in the United States is entitled to any certain privilege, another citizen anywhere else in the United States is entitled to the same privilege, regardless of "race or color, or previous condition of servitude. I believe that law and privilege should apply equally to all. And why should they apply to some to the exclusion of others because of the condition of convenience? We might as well have two governments, one to apply to one class of citizens and the other to apply to other classes. The government demands the same allegiance from the rural people as she demands from the city people, and why should the government not serve them in like manner and without partiality?

J. C. WENNER.

[The point of the correspondent is well taken by the writer of "Random Remarks" referred to, since he is in entire sympathy with the suffering masses as against the luxuriating classes. And yet he greatly fears the time will never come while we are in this vale of tears, whether in the land of the free, or elsewhere, when class distinctions will not prevail to greater or less extent. We can only hope to have a foretaste here of heaven by endeavoring to approximate equity and exact fairness. Assist. Ed.]

ANOTHER SNUB OF COXEY.

Anticipating the arrival of the rear guard or the left wing of the Coxey-anti-tariff-reform movement upon the Capitol, Senator Quay, on the 15th inst. made another lengthy contribution to our cumbersome tariff literature. Wanting to say considerably more than he could on the subject, he read at them for two hours from statistics presumably dry as such statistics generally are. It is more than probable that the sedate Senators, sitting for two hours under the mellifluous voice of Quay, got a little dry themselves. For effect stronger than his monotonous argument might prove the honorable Senator asked the privilege of the floor of the Senate on Friday in order to receive a delegation of 100 representatives of working men in opposition to the tariff reform. Having reduced his proposition to a resolution it was punctually laid on, or under the table as being unprecedented in the history of the Senate.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Remember the Boy's Brigade every Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Dr. Graydon is their efficient superintendent.

Rev. G. E. Weeks, will address the Young Men's meeting next Sunday at 2.30, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Subject: "The Young Man Lost"

Next in the series of Dr. Graydon's Health Talks is a topic that is apt to hit us more or less: "Poison and Antidote." Let's go and take the antidote without a wry face. Time of delivery: Monday evening, April 23. Music by the Lutheran choir.

Get out the sprinkler.

Death of Hon. William Bryson.

Hon. William Bryson, attorney-at-law, died at his residence on Thursday at noon of heart disease. He has been ill for several weeks and on several occasions his condition was so low that he was supposed to be dying, but each time he rallied. Last Monday he had recovered so far as to be able to ride out and his friends supposed that he was out of danger, at least for the present, but on Wednesday night he grew worse, and on Thursday morning his sufferings at intervals were so extreme as to almost drive him frantic. He ate a lunch at noon, and was sitting on the bedside talking when he suddenly threw up his arms and fell back dead.

His death, while not a surprise, was a great shock to his wife, who has been his constant companion in his illness, and whose loving heart was wrung with the knowledge of his awful suffering, for which there seemed to be no relief. Funeral services were held at his late residence last evening, and this morning the body was taken to Reading, Pa., for interment.

He was born at Minersville, Schuylkill county, Pa., June 13, 1849. He was a friend and schoolmate of George W. Boyd, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, and of George D. McCreary, treasurer of Philadelphia. He graduated in company with Col. John A. Spangler at Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Pa., studied law with Hon. Charles R. Buckalew, and was admitted to practice in Columbia county. He was twice elected to the legislature in Columbia county. In 1873 he was married to Miss Mary Hemeright, who died the following year, leaving him a daughter, Mary, who lives with her maternal grandmother, at Ashland, Pa. In 1886 he came to Philipsburg to administer the estate of his brother, James, who died here. He was pleased with the place and people and decided to remain and open a law office, which he did. He was an able attorney and found plenty to do. Three years ago he was married to Miss Louisa Schroeder, of Reading, who survives him with one child, a beautiful boy 2 years old. His other living relatives are his mother, his brother, Robert, and his sister, Mrs. Con Burns, all of Burnside, Pa. In appearance Mr. Bryson was a large, well built, fine looking man, deliberate in his manner, careful and thoughtful in his speech. He was warm hearted and kind, and no one ever saw him lose his temper, no matter what the provocation. He was generous, charitable and forgiving, and while not a man to make acquaintances freely, and had but few intimate friends, yet his death is deeply regretted by the community in general, and the few who were on terms of close intimacy with him will lament his death greatly, and remember him with fondness. The warmest sympathy of the people will go out to the bereaved wife and child who are alone among strangers. Mrs. Bryson's sister, Mrs. D. H. Keller, of Bellefonte, is in the south with her husband, who is an invalid, which makes the situation even more desolate for Mrs. Bryson, who will feel the need of a sister to comfort her in her distress.

He was a member of Centre Council, No. 803, Royal Arcanum, and Captain J. H. Boring and Thomas Norris, representing Centre Council, accompanied the body to Reading. —*Philipsburg Ledger.*

SMALL-POX AT TEASDALE.

Small-pox has broken out at Lee or Teasdale, between here and Glen Lyon. There are now twelve well developed cases. The disease came from Danville and was carried by William B. Williams who was called to Danville to attend the funeral of his mother. Upon the first appearance of the disease the doctor called it "grip rash." Before its danger became known a number of people were exposed. Supt. Williams, of the Newport Coal Company, fearing that there might be something more serious the matter, notified the Overseer of the Poor to investigate. He was not able to do so, but Supervisor Walp acted in his stead. Drs. Santee, of Wapwallopen, Davis, of Glen Lyon, and McKeage, of this place, made an examination and pronounced it small-pox. The patients were at once quarantined and placed under armed sentinels who had instructions to allow none but authorized persons to go in and out. The twelve cases are located as follows:

William B. Williams, wife and child.

Edward Reese, wife and two children.

William Burke and one child.

Mrs. George Cox and two children. —*Mountain Echo.*

BRIEF MENTION

About People You Know.

Mr. Roody, of THE COLUMBIAN, is among the early garden makers this spring.

A. C. Hidlay and W. S. Fleckenstine drove to Williamsport on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. S. Rishton is visiting her mother in Philadelphia.

Ex-sheriff Samuel Smith called on Bloomsburg friends on Tuesday.

Frank Shuman is building a neat veranda to his home on Main street.

Miss Darrah, of New York, is the guest of Miss Lydia Drinker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Drinker and son, of Wilkes-Barre, spent last Sunday in town.

Mr. Eli Knorr spent a few days in Philadelphia this week.

Robert Caldwell of Titusville is in town visiting his grandfather, Dr. H. C. Hower, and other relatives.

John F. Cadwell, formerly of Bloomsburg, is now engaged in the oil refining business with his brother in Titusville.

J. S. Williams has been hobbling about with a cane for the past two weeks, the result of a sprained ankle.

We are glad to report Mr. Edward Corell at his post of duty after a day's absence through sickness.

H. H. Fritz, of Central, Pa., is among the newly appointed post-masters of Columbia county.

Among the recently married, we must mention Mr. Wm. May and Miss Emma Yost of this place.

Hiram Hetler, an old soldier friend of Lime Ridge, gave us a brief visit on the 16th instant.

Among town visitors we mention Wesley Hartzel, Miss Kate Bower, Geo. W. Farver, and Miss Frances Fox.

J. C. Hagenbuch, of Bloomsburg, won the prize of the second contest at target-shooting which took place here on last Tuesday.

Though generally well preserved for one so old, Mr. Philip Unangst now needs the help of a cane.

Among those more severely vaccinated we mention also Miss Elsie Patterson. She is much improved.

Among callers in Bloomsburg on Saturday we mention George Troutman, and Cornelius Fetterman.

Mr. John Beers and family visited our town this week to attend the funeral of his brother Jacob, who died at the asylum in Danville on Tuesday night.

The critical illness of Mrs. John Culp was the principal occasion for the recent visit of her son-in-law, Mr. S. M. Bard, of Wilkesbarre, to this place.

Among the aged and patient sufferers whose life is short from age, if not disease, is the loved mother of Messrs. O. M. and J. F. Long, of New Columbus.

Among callers who were youthful friends of the writer, we are pleased to mention Elias Furman, son of the Sheriff of Columbia county some thirty years ago.

Anticipating warm weather E. Jacobs & Son have fitted up a very neat and attractive ice-cream parlor at their stand on Main street.

S. M. Bard, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., spent Sunday in town. His address to our young men was one of the finest of the season.

We have known for some time that Stanley McHenry, of Cambra, can play an organ well, but did not know until Sunday last that he also sings right well, indeed.

Among visitors to town, and callers at THE COLUMBIAN office on Saturday, we are pleased to mention Michael Beishline and John McMichael, of Van Camp.

William Laycock has been confined to the house for the past week with an attack of rheumatism. He has suffered much from this disease.

Chas. A. Pollock, a promising young Bloomsburger, recently won a prize for spelling at a business college in Ponghkeepsie, N. Y. Being a stenographer, to spell well is quite necessary.

I. H. Doane, of Berwick, was again the prize-winner in the shooting match which came off in Bloomsburg on Tuesday. With 15 competitors, he won in the first contest at live bird shooting.

Mr. George D. Edmondson, administrator of the Hiram Reese estate, was in town on Tuesday on business connected with his office. He is also a live representative of the New York Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Dressed in his new suit of navy blue, our boyhood friend and schoolmate, Wesley Knorr, resumes his duty as Chief of Police of Bloomsburg. We verily believe that he will be faithful to his trust without being too officious.

The second child of Mr. Edward Barton, died on Friday morning the 13th inst. The burial of both of these little loved ones took place on Saturday, the 14th. Much sympathy is expressed and felt for the bereaved parents.

We notice still in Bloomsburg, our Democratic color-bearer during the war, G. W. Sterner. No matter as to political wrangling when in camp, "Pet" never failed to show his true colors for the Union when the order came to forward march in the face of the enemy who would have destroyed it.

Cornelius Wambold, of New Columbus, afflicted for years with stomach and heart ailments, has succeeded in dislodging these troubles; but having concentrated their ill effects into his foot and leg, in the nature of gangrene, it is feared that amputation will be necessary before warm weather sets in.

Mr. John Buckalew, of Fishingcreek, exchanged friendly greetings with THE COLUMBIAN on Wednesday. He is interested in geological collections, but more particularly India relics. A desirable location for his exhibits should certainly be found in Bloomsburg.

A SOLAR ECLIPSE

Visible at every Point in the country between New York and San Francisco.

The intervening body is exceedingly small, but it completely hides everything if held close to one eye when the other is shut.

A silver dime never figured so largely in affairs of men as it does now, when the little piece is being sought for by everybody, irrespective of age or condition, because it possesses the power to purchase "THE MAGIC CITY."

A whole city for a Dime! Not a city of airy castles and intangible structures, but a photographic reproduction of that Magic City which dazzled the world for a six months, and then dissolved to the infinite regret of all peoples and all nations. What a pity it is that Aladdin's palace was reared by the Genie's enchantment before the invention of photography, but we are consoled by the blessing of that incomparable preservative art which is so effectually used to perpetuate the magnificent splendors of the Columbian Exposition.

What is "THE MAGIC CITY?" It is a work of ineffable beauty, exhibiting in a series of sixteen portfolios, all the marvelous, matchless and incomparable buildings, displays, pictures, statuary, fountains, strange peoples and Midway Plaisance attractions of the World's Fair. Greatness is dwarfed, grandeur is surpassed, splendor is exceeded, by the royal and superlatively sublime pictographs contained in the serial work so appropriately entitled "THE MAGIC CITY."

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Are you getting the portfolios of "THE MAGIC CITY?" If not, you are losing the greatest treat of your life. Don't delay any longer. Cut out the Coupon on page 4 and send or bring it to us, with one dime in silver, and get a sample number of this magnificent work. We are ready now to supply you with all the parts from No. 1 to No. 6. One Coupon and one little dime for each part is all we ask—sent by mail or delivered at the office of THE COLUMBIAN.

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Commonwealers.

The newspapers, reporting plenty to eat and little or nothing to do for the commonwealers, have evidently stimulated other wealers now also on the march to wheel into line. The last tribe we have noticed is that of Jones, of Delaware. Christopher Columbus Jones is his name in full. Though of foreign lineage, Jones is a more familiar name to lead on with than Coxey, and consequently Jones' chances for something to eat are just as good as Coxey's ever were. The Jones commonwealers stayed all night at Newport, Delaware, on the 15th inst., and the citizens gladly gave them a parting breakfast in the morning. The Jones commonwealers being young, they expect to grow as they go marching on. The Jones army, consisting of 46 members, is not the most formidable as anti-tariff-reform boomers, but they are willingly contributing what they can with characteristic patriotism in this direction; and, no doubt, they are willing to keep it up as long as a nomadic life can be made more congenial and luxurious than a permanent abode and solid wage-earning.

Mr. Joseph Bidleman and Miss Della Brink were united in marriage on Wednesday evening, by Rev. C. H. Brandt. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bridegroom in a flat in J. Keller's building, at 8 o'clock, in the presence of a few friends. The flat is newly furnished, and all in readiness for housekeeping. May happiness attend them.

We Don't Claim Him.

The Dushore *Review* of last week printed the following:

"We are happy to state that it was not a Dushore M. D. who penned the interesting letter to a city practitioner, given below. The pill peddler in question lives down country somewhere, either in Columbia or Montour county: "Dear Doc I have a pashunt whose physicol sines shoes that the windpip was ulcerated of and his lung had dropped intoo his stummick. He is unable to swoller and I feer his stumick tube is gon. I hav giv him everything without effeckt his father is wealthy Onerabel and influenshial, he is an active membber of the M. E. Church and god nos I dont want to loose hym, what shall I due. ans. by return male youres in neede."

We don't claim any such a doctor down here. If he lives in Columbia county, he must have moved down from Dushore.

Attracting Crowds.

The Egyptian Mummy in the large show window of J. M. Gidding & Co. clothing establishment is certainly attracting lots of attention.

Crowds are constantly in front of the window. The Mummy was brought over here from the National Museum, Paris, to be exhibited at the World's Fair and after the Fair closed was purchased by the present owners. It is over three thousand years old and is valued at eleven hundred dollars.

C. Watson McKelvy has sold the Krug house and lot on Iron street to Joshua Fetterman.

Eye Glass Fakirs.

Sharpers are traveling through this country selling so called gold eye glasses for amounts ranging from fifty cents up to $2. The bunco man exhibits a pair of spectacles which, he claims, are gold framed. He says that he has found them, and as they are of no use to him he will dispose of them at a small price, finally selling them for what he can get. The spectacles prove to be made out of window glass, and the frames washed with some gilt preparation. Many farmers of this county have fallen easy victims to the sharpers. One Bradford county man who was in Elmira the other day claims he saw two of the fellows there.—*Bradford Argus.*

One of these fakirs was run out of this town one day last week, under threats of arrest. They are thick all over the country. Last Tuesday as the writer was coming down the Lehigh Valley railroad, two of them boarded the train, at Tunkhannock, and one of them began operation on us, and we might have had some amusement with him if the conductor had not ordered him not to play his game on the train.

There is but one safe way for people who need glasses, and that is to go to some reliable optician and have the eyes properly tested. The kind the fakirs sell for $1.50 to $3.00, cost nineteen cents, and are utterly worthless.

Even the Susquehanna has taken a recent boom, as if to encourage the deliberately indolent.

WHEN JIM WAS DEAD.

When Jim was dead—"
"Hit sarved him right," the nabors sed,
An' 'bused him for the life he'd led,
An' him a-lyin' thar at rest
With not a rose upon his breast!
Ah! menny cruel words they sed
When Jim was dead.

"Jes' killed hisself." "Too mean ter live."
They didn't hav' one word ter give
Of comfort as they hovered near
An' gazed on Jim a-lyin' there!
"Thar ain't no use to talk," they sed,
"He's better dead."

But suddenly the room growed still,
While God's white sunshine seemed ter fill
The dark place with a gleam of life,
An' o'er the dead she bent—Jim's wife!
An' with her lips close, close ter his,
As though he knew an' felt the kiss,
She sobbed—a touchin' sight ter see—
"Ah, Jim was always good ter me!"

I tell you, when that sum ter light,
It kinder set the dead man right;
An' round the weepin' woman they
Throwed kindly arms of love that day,
An' mingled with her own they shed
The tenderest tears—when Jim was dead.
—Frank S. Stanton.

ROMANCE OF A PLAY.

"But what put the idea into your head?" asked the leading man of the dramatist, as they stood together during the rehearsal of the new play.

The dramatist was a lady, a tall, slight woman of perhaps thirty, with a striking face, lighted by a pair of dark-blue eyes. The beauty of those eyes made people sometimes fancy Mrs. Clavering was beautiful, but she was not; she was intellectual; she was charming and sympathetic, and she had suffered—you could see that in her face. Perhaps, then, she was, in a sense, beautiful. The leading man was inclined to think so, and he liked very much to talk to her. As for her, she thought him "a nice fellow," and admired his acting, but that was all. She smiled at his question.

"Oh, I hardly know!" she said, with an absent look in her blue eyes. "Don't you like it?"

"Like it? Yes, of course, I do; it's telling, very telling; a bit romantic, you know."

"Oh, yes! not like real life; but real life is sometimes too prosaic for the stage. I often think these pessimists one hears so much of now have known very little trouble. They are too fond of dabbling in the miseries of existence."

The leading man gave the speaker a quick look; but his cue came just then—in fact, he had missed it—and he had to run forward to take his place.

Mrs. Clavering was a novelist who had not been very long in London, having spent most of her life abroad. She had written two or three one-act pieces, which had been well received; and now she had launched into a three-act piece and was going to produce it at a matinee. It was a clever play, well put together and well written, but not calculated to set the town talking, though superior to a good many plays that do set the town talking. What the leading man alluded to was, as it were, the motif of the piece. The hero, in the first act, cast off his wife and left her, declaring he would live as he chose, she hampered him, and so on. The wife, still loving the man who was so cruel to her, declared he could not shake her off. "I shall be with you," she cries, "whether you will or no! You shall hear me call to you when the darkest hour of your life comes; and if I cannot win you back to love, I will at least keep you from crime."

In the second act the hero is about to marry a rich girl; the wedding guests arrive, all is ready, when suddenly he starts; he hears his wife's voice calling him; he is appaled, conscience-stricken; he confesses his intended crime. In the third act matters have reached a climax; the hero, ruined socially and in purse, is about to commit suicide; once more the warning voice arrests him, he flings the pistol away, and as he does so his wife enters and the two are completely reconciled.

"A charming idea," said the leading lady to the author, "but don't you make Margaret too forgiving?"

"I don't know—Graham is her husband."

"That makes it harder."

"Oh! no, I think it makes it easier."

"Do you?" aloud—but to herself: "Her husband was one of the good sort, or she wouldn't talk so. It's all right to forgive like that in a play; in real life the husband would go the old way again in no time at all."

"Yes," said Mrs. Clavering. "Have you ever read Browning's 'Any Wife to Any Husband?'"

The leading lady raised her brows.

"No, indeed!" she said. "Browning is too deep for me."

"Any one can understand that. Read it."

The stage manager came up to ask about a proposed "cut," and the leading lady turned away to ask the leading man whether Mrs. Clavering was a widow, divorced or separated.

"I'm sure I don't know," was the answer; and nobody else did. She lived in apartments near one of the West Central squares, and was always welcome in the literary and artistic circles in which she moved, and, though it was generally presumed that her husband was dead, it could not be recalled that she had ever said so; and sometimes in these days it isn't wise to be curious about people's absent or non-est husbands. When you came to think of it, indeed, it would be difficult to assert positively that Clavering was her real name. Her novels were published as by Alix Clavering, and when she came to London she called herself Mrs. Clavering, which might or might not be a nom-de guere; for it was her publishers who first introduced her into London literary society; and it was not their business to disclose her real name, supposing that she had another name than that under which she chose to appear.

The rehearsal was over and Mrs. Clavering went home. She had a few alterations to make in the second and third acts, and after a slight luncheon she settled herself to the task. Settled? She seemed very restless and worked very fitfully. Sometimes, for minutes together, she sat with her face hidden in her hands and more than once tears trickled through her fingers.

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"They say the piece is likely to catch on," said a gentleman, who, in truth, was a backer in a West End theatre. He was one of a group of men in the smoking-room of a rather bohemian club and his remark was in continuation of a desultory chat between himself and a well-known actor-manager.

"Yes," answered the other carelessly, as he knocked the ashes off his cigar. "They say that of so many of these matinee shows, and they're generally such rot!"

"What play is that, if I may ask?" inquired a man who had just caught the last words.

The speaker was an uncommonly handsome man, apparently about thirty-six or thirty-seven, but he had a reckless look, not pleasant to see. A cautious man would think twice before introducing this gentleman into his home, for besides his personal good looks, he had a sweet-toned voice and an attractive address, and with these weapons of attack he could easily conquer women's hearts, breaking them afterwards at his leisure.

The "backer" answered him. "A piece written by Mrs. Clavering, the novelist. She's not a prentice hand. Some one-act plays of hers have been done already."

"I remember reading one of her novels; it was clever," said Mr. Leslie. "What's the play about?" You noticed, when he spoke, that his English was slightly tinged with foreign accent. That was natural enough, for his life, since his youth, had been passed abroad, and he had only come to England about a month ago.

"I can't tell you; story out of the beaten track, they say, again. I shall be able to send you a stall, if you care to go. You needn't sit it out if you are too much bored."

Wilmot Leslie was already a favorite with the men who knew him. In this topsy-turvey world it often happens that the least worthy are the most attractive.

"Thanks," Leslie answered, "I shall be very pleased to go. A trial matinee is something of a novelty to me, you know. One doesn't have them abroad."

"No, thank heaven!" groaned the actor-manager and Leslie laughed, but his laugh was not mirthful; it would not strike you that he was a happy man. Perhaps, like a good many, he was trying to live down his conscience. Some one suggested cards, and a move was made to the card-room.

There Leslie proved a "plunger," but he generally won, and a keen observer of human nature might have noticed that there was something fictitious in his excitement—as if he were keeping up the steam, as it were, to prevent his "inner self" asserting itself. At a. m. he walked through the growing dawn to the chambers, but the ghosts that flitted along by his side all the way followed him in and kept their silent watch, ghosts of evil deeds and misspent hours. There was one ghost that came nearer to him than the others and looked at him with the eyes of unutterable pain and sorrow. He covered his face, but he saw these eyes all the same; he called himself a fool and cursed his "nervous mood," but the spectres never stirred, and the sad eyes grew sadder—that was all.

"I have done with it all!" he cried, with a reckless laugh. "I'm getting sentimental. Pouf! I'll settle accounts with a six-shooter if I can't get rid of these fancies any other way. It's too late to bark back."

The day of the matinee came. The play was called "Opal," from the legend of that beautiful stone that glows bright while the love of the wearer for the giver burns clear and strong, and grows dim when love falters and falls. Leslie's stall was in the last row, and he knew none of the people near him; his acquaintances in England were at at present not many. He looked carelessly over his programme, and bit his lip for a moment with a quickdrawn breath; his tongue almost whispered the name of the heroine, Margaret. But the name is common enough. He listened to the clatter of the people about him mostly professionals—not because it had any interest for him, but because he hailed anything that took his attention away from retrospection—anything that drove the ghosts a little further away.

The curtain rose; the play began. Leslie listened at first with the languid indifference of the blase playgoer. By and by he became interested; he watched and listened intently. He held his breath when the hero flung his wife from him and went out. It was the close of the act and the people in front applauded, all except Wilmot Leslie. He did not stir.

In the second act the interest deepened; the man in the stalls with the handsome, reckless face was enthralled. The fellow in the play was haunted—so was he, Wilmot Leslie. He scarcely heard the applause; never lifted a hand—how could he? For this was not a play—it was reality. Margaret loves her husband through all—through unfaith and desertion and all his piled-up sins against her. Bah! it is a play—a woman's sentimental notions. Let the author be tried. She She would not keep the opal bright. The man wasn't worth one tea of hers. Let him be cast out and be forgotten, as he deserved.

And now came the third and last act, where the husband is prevented from committing the crime he meditates; and in the end, in a beautifully written scene—which alone, said the critics afterwards, ought to make the fortune of the play—Margaret forgive the man who so bitterly wronged her. Wilmot Leslie, white as death—yet otherwise masking, for pride's sake, the agony in his heart—listened to the words every one of which stabbed him with fatal blows. A play—yes, only a play!—but, oh; that there could be for his wasted, sinful life such a last act as this!

The curtain was down and the house applauding and calling for the author. Wilmot Leslie, eager to see the woman who could write like this, lingered, and presently Mrs. Clavering appeared at the wing to bow her thanks. The face flashed for a second upon Leslie's startled gaze; the next his eyes were blinded by a scarlet mist—he saw nothing, heard nothing, knew nothing. He groped his way out to the lobby; some one spoke to him; he gave no answer, he had not heard. He reached his own rooms—going on through the streets in the same dazed way—and there he flung himself down, and with a great and exceedingly bitter cry, "Margaret! Margaret!"

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"A gentlman, ma'am, asks to see you."

"What name, Jant?" said Alix Clavering, putting aside a pile of morning papers, all of which, more or less, praised the new play, though some said that Margaret's love was too nearly divine to be possible in real life.

"He said you would not know it, ma'am. He would not detain you long."

"Still, I suppose he has a name. Well, show him up."

The servant retired, and in a minute opened the door again. A tall man came in, just a step beyond the threshold, and paused there, the door closing behind him.

Mrs. Clavering rose to her feet, trembling, paling, and they stood face to face—after seven years—husband and wife; seventy times seven years of wrong between them.

The man spoke first, his head bent, his voice hoarse and broken, the sentences falling from his lips in disjointed fragments.

"I have been in England for a month past. I did not know that you called yourself Clavering. No matter—I should not have troubled you, only——" He paused. It might have helped him if he had seen her face; but he did not see it; he dared not lift his eyes to hers. He went on with an effort: "I saw your play yesterday, and I saw you—— The woman—Margaret—that was not you—you? Only—a—beautiful play—isn't that it?"

"No," she said slowly. She did not move, but clasped her hands tightly over her laboring heart. "The woman Margaret is my heart. She loved him all through—though his sins were scarlet, he was her husband! And he loved her once! So when he came back to her, casting all the evil years behind him, she forgave him!"

"No, no!" the man cried, trembling in every limb. "She could not forgive such a wrong! The message was for me, Margaret; it was only a play!"

"It was deep calling unto deep," she said; "it was my heart calling to yours!"

She stretched out her hands towards him, and he looked up and saw the light in her eyes. He staggered forward, with a broken cry, and fell down at her feet, and she laid her arms about his neck and drew his head against her. "My husband," she said.
—London Sketch.

Stumbled, but Conquered.

The crowning specimen of ludicrous haplessness in the face of elusive syllables is that of the unfortunate speaker who, at a pathetic point of his address, when his hero was about to undergo a heartrending parting from home and friends, uttered, in his most melting voice:

"Biddy, diddy——"

He stopped confused; flushed, set his mouth and tried again, with a difficult resumption of the interrupted pathos:

"Diddy, biddy——"

Something was wrong still. He grew scarlet, perspired, and gasped forth a third attempt, not more intelligible. His hearers could none of them interpret it. It might be High German, or it might be a Mother Goose refrain:

"Diddy, biddy, biddy doo!"

The situation was desperate; but the persistent orator rallied, paused until he had fully recovered his self-control, and trying once more, with slow utterance and distinct enunciation, conquered at length the simple phase which had overthrown him. He said:

"Did he bid adieu?"

Firm to the Last.

The apple has always been a popular divining medium in love affairs. Horace mentioned its use in this connection. A lover would take a pip between the finger and thumb and shoot it up to the ceiling, and if it struck it, his or her wish would be accomplished. Nowadays a maiden tests the fidelity of her beloved by putting a pip in the fire, at the same time pronouncing his name. If the pip bursts with a report, it is a sign that he loves her; but should it burn silently, she is convinced of his want of true affection. Gay's "Hobnelia" experiments with the pips by placing one on each cheek—one for Lubberkin and the other for Boobyclod:

"But Boobyclod soon drops upon the ground,
A certain token that his love's unsound;
While Lubberkin sticks firmly to the last."

Hope Deferred.

"It was too bad about young Chuckster and Miss Plimmer."

"Why, I thought they were married Christmas Day?"

"They were to have been, but Chuckster was taken sick with the measles and the wedding had to be postponed two weeks."

"Well, they were married at the end of the two weeks, weren't they?"

"No, there came a smallpox scare, you remember, and Miss Plimmer was vaccinated. It took with so much enthusiasm that when he got well she was still sick, and they had to put off the wedding another two weeks."

"At the end of that time they were married, I suppose?"

"No, the preacher that's to marry them is down with the grip."—Chicago Tribune.

His Large Family.

"Yes," said the principal of the young ladies' seminary to the proud parent, "you ought to be very happy, to be the father of so large a family all the members of which appear to be devoted to one another."

"Large family! Devoted!" gasped the old gentleman in amazement. "What on earth do you mean, ma'am?"

"Why, yes, indeed," said the principal, beaming through her glasses. "No fewer than eleven of Kate's brothers have been here this winter to take her to the theatre, and she tells me she expects the tall one with the blue eyes again to-morrow."—Exchange.

Hot Milk.

Hot milk is a regularly recognized drink in some of the German cafes. It is served in a cup with a saucer, and two lumps of sugar always accompany it. The drink has several things to commend it, since it has none of the dangerous qualities of tea, coffee or alcoholic drinks, and it is actually an excellent remedy for disorders of the stomach, arising from certain forms of indigestion.

How Those Girls Love One Another!

Jess—How do you suppose he came to propose to me?

Bess—Got tired talking about the weather, probably.—Truth.

Mothers

need a powerful nourishment in food when nursing babies or they are apt to suffer from Emaciation.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil, with hypophosphites of lime and soda, nourishes mothers speedily back to health and makes their babies fat and chubby. *Physicians*, the world over, endorse it.

Babies

are never healthy when thin. They ought to be fat. Babies cry for SCOTT'S EMULSION. It is palatable and easy to assimilate.

Prepared by Scott & Bowne, N. Y. Druggists sell it.

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YOU WILL FIND A NICE LINE AT

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2nd Door aoove Court House.

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The Pot called the kettle Black because the housewife did'nt use

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THE CURE FOR CATARRH COLD IN HEAD HAYFEVER HEADACHE

THE POSITIVE CURE.

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Can you raise paying crops, year after year, without treating your soil with the proper manure.

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If you want to know how to get out of a farm all it's worth, send on a postal card a request for a sample and full information.

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AS HE WAS. AS HE IS.

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[Extract from one of thousands of letters received by us.]

We will send you the marvelous French preparation CALTHOS *free*, by sealed mail, and a legal guarantee that CALTHOS will

STOP All Discharges and Emissions,
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Do you want a PIANO?

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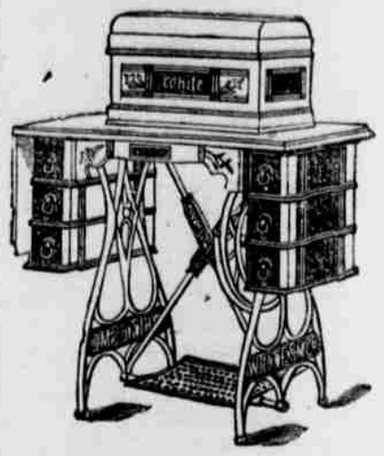

Do you want any kind of a MUSICAL INSTRUMENT?

Do you want SHEET MUSIC?

If so, do not send your money away from home, but deal with a reliable dealer right here, who will make things right, if there is anything wrong.

For anything in this line the place to go is to

J. Saltzer's.

Ware-rooms, Main Street, below Market.

THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

Butter per lb	$	.26
Eggs per dozen		.12
Lard per lb		.12½
Ham per pound		.12½
Pork, whole, per pound	.07 to	.00
Beef, quarter, per pound	.06 to	.08
Wheat per bushel		.70
Oats " "		.40
Rye " "		.65
Wheat flour per bbl		3.40
Hay per ton		18.00
Potatoes per bushel		.65
Turnips " "		.25
Onions " "		1.00
Sweet potatoes per peck	.25 to	.40
Cranberries per qt		.10
Tallow per lb		.04
Shoulder " "		.11
Side meat " "		.15
Vinegar, per qt		.07
Dried apples per lb		.05
Dried cherries, pitted		.12½
Raspberries		.12½
Cow Hides per lb		.02
Steer " " "		.03
Calf Skin	.40 to	.50
Sheep pelts		.60
Shelled corn per bus		.60
Corn meal, cwt		2.00
Bran, "		1.20
Chop "		1.20
Middlings "		1.20
Chickens per lb		.10
Turkeys " "		.12
Geese " "		.10
Ducks " "		.10

COAL.

No. 6, delivered	2.40
" 4 and 5 "	3.50
" 6 at yard	2.25
" 4 and 5 at yard	3.25

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists

ARE YOU CONSUMPTIVE

Use Parker's Ginger Tonic. It cures the worst Cough, Weak Lungs, Debility, Indigestion, Pain, Take in time. 50 cts.

HINDERCORNS. The only sure cure for Corns. Stops all pain. 15c. at Druggists, or HISCOX & CO., N. Y.

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IN CONGRESS.

The New Quorum Rule.

CHINESE TREATY, GENERAL DEBATE ON TARIFF BILL, &c.

$15,000 From Breckinridge to Miss Pollard.

Death of Senator Vance of N. C.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Speaker Crisp was not, and is not an advocate of counting a quorum, although it was advocated by good Democrats long before Czar Reed was ever heard of outside of the town in which he lives; but it became his duty as chairman of the Committee on Rules to obey the caucus resolution directing that Committee to prepare and report to the House such a rule, and, like the good Democrat he is, he obeyed, and the new rule will be reported to the House and probably adopted this week, and when once adopted he will see that it is properly carried out and that members are not counted whether present or not, as Reed used to do.

In this connection it is proper to state that the Democrats of the House were not driven into taking this action, which so many Democrats of prominence personally opposed, by the Republicans as they are claiming. It was the refusal of the Republicans to vote that kept the House tied, except during the short intervals when there was a Democratic quorum present, for almost a month, thus making conspicuous the necessity for counting a quorum or allowing the business of the House to be dictated by the Republicans; but after all it was not the Republicans who forced the Democratic caucus to do what should not have been necessary, but which was absolutely necessary. It was the inability of the Democratic leaders to keep a Democratic quorum on the floor of the House that did the business. They concluded that they had tried and failed so often to keep a Democratic quorum that it would be a good idea to make the Republicans help by counting them when they refused to vote, and at the same time, thank Heaven, they are going to make the absentee come to time or forfeit his pay while absent without leave, except when sick and unable to attend to his duties.

Senator White, of California, does not believe that more than five Senators will vote against the ratification of the new Chinese treaty. It is expected that a vote will be reached some time this week, although there has been no formal agreement to that effect.

There was not much surprise here when the jury brought in a verdict for $15,000 in favor of Miss Pollard in her breach of promise case against Representative Breckinridge, of Kentucky. It was generally expected. Col. Breckinridge says the verdict will have no effect upon his candidacy for Congress, and that he intends returning to Kentucky and making a personal canvass of his entire district. There is a general feeling of relief here that the trial is at last over.

The general debate on the tariff bill will by agreement close next Monday. Then the Senate will begin the consideration of the bill by items, a process which promises to be long and tedious. Senator Smith, of New Jersey, delivered a tariff speech to-day somewhat in line with that delivery by Senator Hill a week ago, but not so radical. The fear of the defeat of the bill is only in the opposition papers; it does not exist among the Democratic Senators who are managing the the bill. They expect that those Democratic Senators who stated at the caucus held previous to the reporting of the bill that they reserved the right to propose amendments on the floor of the Senate will succeed in getting some amendments adopted, with the aid of Republican votes, but they have no doubts about the final passage of the bill; nor do they believe that a single Democratic vote will be cast against it when the final vote is taken. The newspaper talk which has grown out of a "fake" interview with Senator Murphy of New York, about the bill not being voted upon before the Congressional election is simply rot. Senator Murphy never said such a thing, nor thought it. The bill is going to be pushed to a vote at this session of Congress, and it is going to be passed. These two things can be relied upon.

Senator Morgan's report on the new Nicaragua Canal bill is strong and convincing, concluding thus: "The plan and certain effect of this bill if it becomes a law will be to put into active business employment $100,000,000 borrowed from our own people without risk to the government. It would furnish good and wholesome employment to 50,000 Americans, who are marching on the highways, begging for work and often for food.

Senator Vance, of North Carolina, whose health has been bad for a long time, died suddenly from a stroke of apoplexy, Saturday night, at his residence in this city. Senator Vance was a universal favorite and regrets are heard on all sides.

Senator Pugh, of Alabama, thinks in view of late European news that President Cleveland is not a bad sort of a prophet. He says: "President Cleveland told me the other day that he believed silver would be remonetised in 1896, and that this country and England will by that time be on a basis of bi-metallism." It has been no secret among the President's friends that he believes England will soon have to get down from the high horse she has been sitting upon in dealing with silver. It is because of that belief that he has advised a policy of delay on the part of this country.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physcians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

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Riches And How To Win Them.

Wages Upon Which the Wage-earning Women May Ponder.

The secret of being rich consists not altogether in managing to wrest a large salary from unwilling employers, though of course that is a help towards wealth, but it consists in so dividing whatever income one may have that every possible emergency in life is provided for and debt is successfully kebt at bay.

Of course, the young woman with an $8-salary often has the tastes of the young woman with an $18 salary, and she who makes $18 may feel poverty-stricken because she is compelled to deny herself the luxuries attainable on $80 a week. But the cheerful fact is to be remembered that she is wealthiest who has learned to do without the most things.

The girl who makes $8 may be living at home. If so, she can win the gratitnde of her family by paying $3 or $4 a week regularly for her board and laundry. A dollar to be spent in car fare and papers is all that she should allow herself. The remaining $3 or $4 should be divided into three parts—one for a clothing fund, one for a sickness fund and one for a saving fund. Of course she cannot dress magnificently on so small a sum; but she can be neat and comfortable, especially if she has a mother to look after her clothes. If she should not be ill, the sum she has saved to defray the expenses of a possible illness will make a desirable addition to her little savings-bank account.

There will be temptations for such a girl constantly to buy things "for the house," or for some one in it, but she must learn that to save her money and thereby insure herself against being a burden some time is more unselfish than to spend it on this and that trifle which appeals to her.

Whatever a young woman's income, she should divide it according to some such principle. She should let the largest snm be for the necessities of existence, and the remainder should go for saving, sickness, dressing and amusements. If she does not have a fairly good income her amusements must of necessity be free ones. Such as are to be had in church societies, girls' clubs, libraries and social intercourse. If she makes enough, theatre, opera, books and picture galleries may contribute to her enjoyment. But whatever the young woman's income, this method of dividing it should be religiously adhered to, for in that way alone is it possible for her to save money. And only by saving money is real independence possible.

Mother and Child Cured.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Botts of South Williamsport, Pa. writes; "Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured my little girl of scrofula. She was cured over a year ago and she is as well as ever now. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for pain in my side and on my lungs. I have taken two bottles and the pain has all left me. I believe if I had not taken it I should have had consumption."

Hood's Pills cure biliousness, headache.

Senator Hill.

It is delightful to observe the enthusiasm with which Senator Hill is welcomed by the tariff organs into Republican fellowship. No one who has a proper appreciation of the virtue of gratitude can object to this.

The Republican denunciation of Hill even after he had helped to elect Harrison in 1888 and had tried to defeat Cleveland in 1892 has always seemed very reprehensible, and the New York *Tribune* and the rest are making but tardy reparation in their present encomiums upon Hill's wise statesmanship.

But suppose he should not beat the revenue bill after all?—*Phila. Times.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A YOUNG GIRL'S LIFE.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS.

The Story is the Same, No Matter What Her Station In Life May Be.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

No matter whether she walks to her daily toil or rides in her carriage in the park. No matter whether she is one of the millions or one of the few thousands.

Whatever her station in life may be, she is subject to the same physical laws, and suffers in proportion to their violation.

Girls' oversensitiveness and modesty often puzzle their mothers and baffle the physician. They withhold what ought to be told.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saves the young girl from the danger resulting from organic disturbance, such as suppression or retention of menses or irregularity. It cures displacement of the womb and all forms of disease arising from derangement of the organ. It is a remedy for woman, given by a woman.

What will cure the mother will cure the daughter, as their organism is the same, and governed by the same laws.

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The main feature, however, is embraced in the portraits, illustrations and maps, over 900 in number, all executed in the highest artistic style, and many of them made from rare war-time originals. The descriptions of all the great battles are written by the leading Generals who fought them, and fully illustrated, very often by sketches made at the time. The paper and print are superb and fully in keeping with the usual work of the Century Company, which publishes the work.

This superb history is published in twenty parts, and THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER has just begun the distribution, it being the intention to give out one part each week until the series is completed. To obtain this valuable work all that is necessary is to cut out a coupon from THE INQUIRER and send it together with ten cents to THE INQUIRER Coupon Department, 1109 Market street, Philadelphia.

Many rise in the morning with a headache and no inclination for breakfast. This is due to torpidity of the liver and a deranged condition of the stomach To restore healthy action to these organs, nothing is so efficacious as an occasional dose of Ayer's Pills.

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Facts Worth Knowing.

In all diseases of the nasal mucous membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with douches, snuffs, powders or astringents, because they are irritating, do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failures.

A multitude of persons who had for years borne all the worry and pain that catarrh can inflict testify to radical and permanent cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm. Your druggist has it.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

—OF THE—

TOWN OF BLOOMSBURG

FOR THE YEAR 1893.

TAX ROLL FOR 1893.

	VALUATION.	RATE.	AMT. TAX
Built up	$1434805	9	$12913 25
Suburban	47625	6	285 75
Farm	193850	4½	602 33
Personal	30257	9	296 32
Occupation	207991	9	1871 92
Dogs and bitches			280 00
	$1850928		$16188 87
Add the following exonerations:			
Silk Mill Co.	$10000 00	Ex. June 6, '87 for 10y	
Steam Heat Co.	2000 00	" "	
Carpet Mill Co.	15000 00	" May 9, '89 " "	
Furniture Co.	8750 00	" Oct. 14, '91 " "	
Brass & Copper Co.	10000 00	" May 8, '91 " "	
Mears Manufacturing Co.	3000 00	" " 5, '92 " 5y	
Artificial Ice Co.	4500 00	" " 5, '92 " 10y	
School Furniture Co.	10000 00	" Dec. 6, '88, " "	
	$19167 78		
2 per cent. of above valuation is			$38335 54
Funded indebtedness			37970 00

FUNDED DEBT DUE AS FOLLOWS:

Issue of	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912
Aug. 3, '81	200	200	220	240	240														
Aug. 9, '92	200	200	2 6	220	240	240													
June 5, '84	300	300	300	300	400	400	500												
Oct. 10, '87	210	220	230	240	250	260	280	290	310	330	340	357	670						
Oct. 4, '88	220	250	260	270	290	300	310	330	350	360	380	400	420	440	410				
Sept 12, '89	525	550	575	600	625	650	675	700	750	775	800	850	875	925	200				
Nov. 17, '90	165	175	180	190	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	275	285	300	305				
Jan. 17, '92	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200											
Jan. 26, '93	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200										
Nov. 2, '93	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	400	400	400	400	400	400	500	500	600
	2530	2595	2663	2760	2945	2860	2685	2250	2150	2005	2180	2275	2630	2365	1375	400	500	500	600

J. H. MAIZE, Treasurer, in account with the Town of Bloomsburg.

DR.

To bal. on hand April 1, 1893	$ 72 21	
" am't from sundry persons, tax of 1892	83 93	
To amt from Bloom Wat'r Co.	39 60	
" " " M. C. Woodward bal. dup. 1892	3215 67	
To amt from M C Woodward on dup. 1893	3835 82	
To amt. F. P. Drinker Pres't, on sale of bonds	7000 00	
To am't F. P. Drinker, sewer permits, licenses and fines	363 45	
To am't from John L. Kline, Treas, license fees	570 00	
To am't from J. R. Fowler, Treas, license fees	1140 00	
To am't from Farmers Nat'nl Bank, order disct	1968 66	
To am't from First Nat. B'nk order discounted	1476 50	
To am't from tax roll, 1893	9605 14	
" " " bond holders, State tax on bonds	147 00	$38517 98

CR.

By am't of orders 1889 paid	$ 1 60	
" " " " 1891 "	7 44	
" " " " 1892 "	451 02	
" " " " 1893 "	23424 69	
" " coupons Aug. '92, pd	46 11	
" " " Feb. '93 "	163 86	
" " " Aug. '93 "	748 97	
" " " Feb. '94 "	722 23	
" " bonds paid	2160 00	
" " state tax paid	104 03	
" " Treasurer's com.	278 30	
" " In Treas. hands	409 73	
		$38517 98

M. C. WOODWARD, Collector, in account with the town of Bloomsburg.

DR.

To balance duplicate, 1892	$ 3726 08	
" am't of " 1893	6384 43	
		$10310 51

CR.

By exonerations on dup. 1892	$ 510 41	
" am't p'd Treas. bal dup 1892	3215 67	
" " " on " 1893	2835 82	
" bal due on dup 1893	3748 61	
		$10310 51

RECEIPTS.

To bal on hand April 1, 1893	72 21	
" am't from sundry persons tax for 1892	83 93	
To am't from Bloom Water Co.	59 60	
" am't from M. C. Woodward bal duplicate, 1892	3215 67	
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DISBURSEMENTS.

HIGHWAYS

To Silver Spring Quarry Co. spalls	$ 1022 48	
To Low Bros & Co, spalls	107 34	
To D. L. & W. R. R. Co. freight on spalls	398 53	
To B. & S. R. R. Co, freight on spalls	64 50	
To P. G. Miller, crossing stone	81 40	
" C. P. Armstrong, stone for culvert	12 77	
To John Whitenight stone for culvert	2 32	
To John Rimard & Son, work on culvert	13 40	
To Chas. Madara, work on culvert	29 00	
To F. P. Drinker 31 loads stone	9 10	
" C. R. Housel, Street Com.	477 45	
" John Stiner, assistant	114 50	
" labor and hauling	4623 16	$ 6955 95

NEW STREETS

To Eli Jones damages opening E. Third street	$ 1942 85	
To John C. Jones estate, opening E. Third street	1114 33	
To Mrs. H. W. McReynolds, damages opening West st.	1503 00	
To C. M. Christman, damages opening West street	752 14	
To viewer's fees and swearing viewers	85 75	$ 5398 07

SEWER.

To Eshleman & Wolf cont'cts	$ 409 64	
" J. A. Hutchins & Co pipe	154 33	
" W. O. Holmes contracts	296 18	
" Penna. Supply Co. T C pipe	117 13	
" Lock Haven Clay Work. T. C. pipe	224 34	
To Mellert Iron Co, iron pipe	273 00	
" D. L. & W. R. R. Co. freight on pipe	72 66	
To P. & R. R. R. Co, freight on pipe	72 37	
To H. V. White & Co. T C pipe	3 45	
" Moyer Bros., cement	3 50	
" Beneville Rhoades, filling sewer ditch	76 70	
To Kesty & Hoffman, work on engine and smithing	24 15	
To C M Savits work on engine	32 65	
" labor and hauling	783 35	$ 2543 45

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

To Moyer Bros oil for engine	$ 7 00	
" Friendship Fire Co. appropriation	112 50	
To W H Hartzel, rent for hose carriage	25 00	$ 1044 50

WATER DEPARTMENT.

To Bloom W. Co. for hydrants		$ 144 50

STREET LIGHTING.

To Bloom Electric Light Co. street lights		$ 4976 35

CONSTABLE AND POLICE.

M. C. Woodward, salary as constable	$ 50 00	
M. C. Woodward, making arrests and serving notices	26 37	
William Thomas, policeman	480 00	
Peter Kehoe "	55 50	
F. R. Drake "	55 50	
John E. Wellliver "	55 50	
Thomas Jones, chief police	110 00	
Wesley Knorr, policeman, bal for 1892	4 00	
George B. Martin, policeman	18 83	
A. V. Hower, night watchman	12 00	
F. P. Baum, bal. for 1892, policeman	1 00	
D. R. Coffman, policeman	55 50	
Louis Gross, suit for William Thomas	19 75	
Wm. Thomas, eyeing helmet	1 25	$ 943 70

TOWN HALL.

To Bloom Water Co for water	$ 16 79	
" " Steam heat Co, for heat	153 92	
To Bloom Gas Co. for gas	20 35	
" Moyer Bros. for glass	1 60	
" W. H. Gilmore, for flag	7 50	
" Hartman & Harman, water closet	14 61	$ 214 77

PUBLIC FOUNTAIN.

To W O Holmes for iron fence	$ 129 30	
" P. K. Vannatta, painting fountain	14 00	
To Creasy & Dawson, repairs	75	$ 143 95

PRINTING.

To Geo. E. Elwell	$ 111 65	
" Wm Krickbaum	123 50	
" J. C. Brown	61 40	$ 296 55

MISCELLANEOUS.

To C. M. Drinker, keys and putting in glass	$ 2 50	
To W. H. Brooke & Co, books &c	9 05	
To Creasy & Wells, lumber and wood	100 15	
To W. H. Rhawn retaining fee in Ringrose case	10 00	
To J. B. Robison, attorney fees 1892	555 00	
To Demaree & Kitchen lumber	31 91	
To B. F. Savits' est, plumbing	2 85	
" F. M. Everett et al auditors	15 00	
" J. C. Brown, engineer	110 82	
" Bloom Water Co. two new hydrants	96 00	
To rent for park	500 00	
" Jonathan Bachman, culvert building	56 26	
To D. J. Waller, bal on Fifth street culvert	400 00	
To D. J. Waller, on acc't of West street culvert	125 00	
To M. C. Woodward, serving tax notices	10 00	
To Bloom Car Co, smithing and iron	23 59	
To Hess M'f'g Co, repairing iron plate	2 00	
To Benjamin Lee, M. D., analyzing water	7 50	
To F. P. Drinker traveling expenses, postage, etc	17 28	
To Thomas Gorrey, traveling expenses	3 50	
To S. F. Peacock & Co. hardware, cement, etc	29 38	
To W. O. Holmes, plumber's supplies and work	36 18	
To George B. Martin, gate lock and key	39	
To Harman & Hassert, smithing and iron	10 69	
To Rodarmel & Wellliver, smithing	5 50	
To W. C. Richart, oil etc	3 64	
" Girton & Hidlay, horse hire	3 50	
" William C. Evans, pick-handles	1 50	
To John W. Masteller, brooms, paper, etc	4 09	
To Frank Richart, smithing	4 90	
" Kesty & Hoffman, repairing crusher	13 95	
To J. D. Armstrong, sundries	1 87	
" W. J. Correll & Co. picture frame	1 00	
To Samuel Neyhard, plow points, etc	1 55	
To J. H. Maize, interest paid on order No. 411	6 66	
To Stephen Knorr, smithing	18 46	
" William Thomas, bread etc for tramps	1 10	
To F. P. Drinker, expenses paid in Ringrose case	50 00	
To C. G. Barkley, int on bonds	13 12	
" W. M. Reber, M. D. investigating alleged small-pox case	10 00	
To F. P. Drinker, stamped envelopes, telegram, etc	9 75	
R. H. Ringler making tax list and annual statement of '92	50 00	
To R. H. Ringular, Sec. salary for 1893	235 00	
To First National Bank, for discounted order	1500 00	
To Farmers National Bank for discounted orders	2000 00	$ 6091 55
		$38753 33
Deduct outstanding orders		2328 66
Am't of orders, 1893, paid		$23424 69

OTHER PAYMENTS

Orders 1889	$ 1 60	
" 1891	7 44	
" 1894	451 02	$ 460 06
Coupons Aug. 1893	$ 46 11	
" Feb. 1893	163 86	
" Aug. 1893	748 97	
" Feb. 1894	722 23	$1681 17
Bonds paid		2160 00
State tax paid		104 03
Treasurer's commission		278 30
Bal in hand of Treas		409 73
		$ 5093 29
Equaling am't receipts.		$38517 98

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of receipts		$38517 98
Disbursements for Highways	$ 6955 95	
" " new streets	5398 07	
" " sewer	2543 45	
" " fire dep't	144 50	
" " water	1044 51	
" " street lighting	4976 35	
Disbursements for constable and police	943 70	
Disbursements for town hall	214 77	
" " public fountain	143 95	
Disbursements for printing	296 55	
" " miscellaneous	2591 55	
Disbursements for 1st National Bank for disc't order	1500 00	
Disbursements for Farmers Nat. Bank for discount order	2000 00	
Disbursements for orders of previous years	460 06	
Disbursements for coupons	1681 17	
" " bonds paid	2160 00	
" " state tax	104 03	
" " Treasurer's commission	278 30	
Disbursements for balance in Treas. hands	409 73	
	$38846 61	
Deduct outstanding orders	5328 66	
Leaving bal. equalizing receipts		$ 38517 98

ASSETS.

Balance due on Dup. of 1893	$ 3748 61	
" in hands of Treas	409 73	
" " " " County Treas for license	570 00	
Due from sund. persons benefits opening West street	542 71	
Due from Bloom Water Co for work done	40 50	
Due from Bloom Brass & Copper Co	16 00	
Iron pipe on hand	210 00	
Fire engine and hose	3000 00	
Town hall and lot	15000 00	
Hook and ladder truck and hose carriages	300 00	
Athletic park	5000 00	$ 28837 55

LIABILITIES.

Funded debt	$37970 00	
Outstanding orders of 1888	62	
" " " 1891	3 72	
" " " 1892	66 57	
" " " 1893	5928 66	
Coupons of Feb. 1893	19 80	
" " Aug. 1893	19 80	
" " Feb. 1894	47 25	
Due Electric Light Co to April 1st	1087 50	
Due Bloom Water Co	86 67	
" Secretary	20 00	
" Constable and police	54 17	
" Sundry persons damages widening Fifth street	6495 50	
Due John Knies, verdict in damage suit	1250 00	$ 56150 26
Deduct assets as above		28837 55
Liabilities in excess of assets.		$ 23612 71

Town of Bloomsburg in account with David and Esther Stroup Fund for Deserving Poor.

DR.

1893.		
April 1. To balance		11
July 8. To interest Silk Mill Bond 5 per cent		50
July 8. To int. on exchange of Bonds 5 per cent for 6 per cent certif. special stock		93
1894.		
Jan. 11. To int. Carpet Mill Bonds 5 per cent		50
Aug. 26 To int. Brass & Copper Tube Works Bonds 6 per cent		21

CR.

Mar. 23. By am't disbursed to sundry needy persons during year 1893-4 as per vouchers		130 00
By balance		23 21
	$ 154 11	$ 154 11
Mar. 23, 1894. To balance in hands of Town Council	$ 23 21	

As to Stroup fund.

FRANCIS P. DRINKER, Pres. Council.

Attest: R. H. RINGLER, Sec.

Bloomsburg, Pa., March 28, 1894.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Bloomsburg, met at the Council room for the purpose of performing our duties and do certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and statements and find them correct and hereby approve the same.

F. M. EVERETT,
A. L. FRITZ,
J. M. STAVER,
} Auditors.

The foregoing statement (annual) of the Town of Bloomsburg is to the best of my knowledge and belief correct, except that I do not believe that properties exempted from taxation for ten years by Town Council should (if legally exempted) be included in the assessed valuation of property on which two per cent. may be legally borrowed and bonded, and excepting also the item set down as due the Land Improvement Company on rent for Oak Grove Park the lease of which by the town I have refused to acknowledge as legal or proper.

FRANCIS P. DRINKER,
Bloomsburg, Pa., 3-29-'94. Pres. Town Council.

I submit also that the foregoing statement may be misleading to some in the amount set down as "Liabilities in excess of Assets"

		$23612 71
Our fire engine	$ 3000 00	
Town hall and lot	12000 00	
Hook and ladder truck and hose carriage	300 00	
Athletic Park	5000 00	$23300 00
Are scarcely available assets, will not help pay our debts.		
Our liabilities are therefore really		40912 71
Our bonded indebtedness is about		38000 00
Which leaves our debt outside of bonded debt		$ 8912 71
To this must be added am't due sundries for labor and hauling done in March inst. and not included in statement, Town Auditors' bill for year, attorney fees and court charges in Kneiss vs. Town, and sundry other small debts for printing, etc., aggregating, it is safe to say, at least		1100 00
Leaving Town's indebtedness over bonded debt		$10012 71

In addition to all this we owe doctors, attorneys, etc, for what has already been forced upon us in Ringrose vs. Town and the damages awarded in the opening of Jefferson St., etc—all of which will without doubt make the Town's total debt. $5000 00

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How to secure a quorum seems to be a puzzling question with the present Congress. If it were not possible for the truants to easily make up all loss, perhaps it would be well to dock them for lost time during business hours. The only time that the sovereign power can make a suggestion to the executive power that counts for anything is when he casts his vote.

COINAGE TOLL.

The seigniorage so frequently alluded to in the vetoed Bland silver bill, is, as defined by Webster, "something claimed or taken by virtue of sovereign prerogative; specifically a certain toll or deduction on bullion brought to a mint to be coined. It was designed originally to defray the expense of coinage; but afterward it was made a branch of royal revenue. This deduction or seigniorage is still made, with more or less modifications, at governmental mints."

In this connection J. S. Mill says: "If the Government throws the expense of coinage upon the holder, which is called "levying a seigniorage," the coin will rise to the extent of the seigniorage above the value of the bullion."

According to our own definition of this money-making business, we are inclined to think our silver bullion men want too much for too little, and they want as little bullion as possible taken to make the dollar, no matter as to the international worth or respectability of such a dollar.

REFORMATION.

Some reformations reform while others don't begin to. Take our amended Baker Ballot reformation, for instance. After trial it is receiving quite as much condemnation as praise. While a secret ballot seems to be the objective point—and worthy indeed is all honest effort in this direction—the undeniable fact is that anybody can screw the whole top off of the Baker ballot-box, examine the votes and whole contents of the box, without touching a lock or breaking a seal, and then by just screwing the top on again no one but the Almighty can possibly know anything about it. The locks and seals are a mere pretence, as they simply lock and seal the small aperture through which the ballots are put into the box.

Then the ambiguity of those sections of the law regarding the duty of the judges in making their returns leaves this official in a quandary as to what he shall retain in the box and what it is his duty to return to the county seat as an essential part of his returns. Some judges in Luzerne county were obliged to make two trips to the county seat in order to straighten out their defective returns. And in view of the fact that the judge was only paid for his day at the polls, (his mileage is about absorbed in the expense of travel) his unprofitable duties as Judge of election took all the patriotism he could muster to prevent his swearing at the amended Baker Ballot law and its various originators.

Before the soldiers proper are all pensioned a measure is now favorably reported in Congress which will give pension, if passed, to anybody and everybody who rendered service without enlistment during the war. This will give the poor sudtlers a fair chance, if we don't misinterpret its ntent and purpose.

It would be worth while for the ladies to bear in mind that if they take a gentle course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla in the spring, they will have no trouble with "prickly heat," "hives," "sties," "boils," or "black heads," when summer comes. Prevention is better than cure.

CHAIRMAN OF STATE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

Deputy Attorney General, James A. Stranahan, of Mercer, was the choice of the assembled committeemen at Harrisburg, on the 16th instant. Mr. Stravahan succeeds J. Marshal Wright, of Allentown, as chairman of State Committee.

With headquarters at Harrisburg the chairman will arrange for an aggressive campaign this fall.

His choice of secretary is Benjamin M. Nead, of Harrisburg, who is well acquainted with the duties of the office. Eighty one of the eighty-seven members answered to the roll call, and but fourteen of the attendants were substitutes.

What was lacking in enthusiasm was made up in harmony at the meeting. Upon being escorted to the chair Mr. Stranahan made a little speech in which he referred to the benefits that will result to the nation from the speedy passage of the Wilson bill by Gongress.

He spoke in high terms of the administration of President Cleveland, and urges harmonious action on the part of individuals in the contest for control of the State offices to be filled this fall. After some competition at other points, a majority thought Harrisburg the more desirable place in which to hold the next meeting of the committee. Harrisburg was accordingly chosen as the place for the next meeting, and June 27 the time of the meeting.

A motion was adopted instructing the chairman to urge the Congressional Democratic Committee to use its influence with Democratic members of Congress for a speedy passage of a tariff measure in harmony with the platform upon which President Cleveland was elected the second time.

After disposing of some other business of minor importance the committee adjourned.

SENATOR HILL'S QUORUM.

Whatever else may be said of Senator Hill, of New York, it will not be charged that he is not as bold and aggressive as any one need be who hopes to lead or mislead a party, or rather a wing of it. But somehow his dignified Senatorial colleagues are a little too shy of him and discrete to follow blindly where he would lead. In other words, they seem to have weighed him, and sized him up as considera bly more of the politician than statesman. The prestige that his geographical location gives him, among the richest and most influential men of the country, is the principal prestige he relies on for all that he hopes to accomplish in the interest of Senator Hill of the Empire State. It is noth ing new for a Senator of this proud and influential State to dictate policy or terms to the President of the United States. These proud Senators have not altogether succeeded in the past, whatever may be the outcome of Senator Hill's exploit as an envious opponent of the Chief Executive.

The other more harmonious Senators seem to doubt Mr. Hill's sincerity when he suggests changes of rules in the Senate which he claims would expedite business. They seem to fear that his plan might result in something worse than they now have in the shape of rules governing debate. Accordingly they prefer to bear the ills they have rather than fly to those they know not of, and especially under the guidance of Senator Hill of the Empire State.

His amendments to the rules, it is said, are identical to those he offered once or twice before and which failed for want of approval of the committee to which they were referred. They were returned, after investigation of their so called merits as time makers, along with a Senatorial report that it would be inexpedient to make any change of rules at that time. The promised report in full which was to have been made on the proposition of Senator Hill is yet to be heard from it seems. Even Senators who are anxious that the tariff measure shall be gotten out of the way do not appear to favor Mr. Hill's proposition. Whether it is the measure or the man that they distrust most, is a question solved in the mind of the writer what ever others think about the brilliancy of his leadership of the plutocratic wing of Democracy.

A Washington correspondent reports Senator Peffer as saying of the Coxey contingent to the high tariff boom, that it is al a piece of foolishness and childishness. "I have advised against it from the start" he continued "and have written letters against it, and in speeches made against it I have endeavored to show that no object could be attained by any such haphazard movement as this"

It is no spontaneous uprising or substantial growth like the Farmer's Alliance, for instance. Coxey, it seems in spite of his professed santification and alarming prophecies about the second coming of Christ, is a horse-trader and gambler to start with; and if so, he is certainly not the man to exert much influence, nor is he able to make a respectable high tariff boom.

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REPRESENTATIVE AND CONSTITUENT.

Filibustering, so common with our statesmen these days, is we believe as frequently resorted to in order to get a chance to talk as with the hope of defeating a measure. One half the number of Represenatives and Senators would serve us just as well, if not better. But the reduction of numbers being with themselves they had rather enlarge the Capitol than diminish the numbers of Represenatives by doubling ratio or apportionment of constituents to the Representative. But the fact is the real work of Congress is confined to comparatively few, while the speakers of any note or force are still less. Leave to print by the yard they all can get, but the right of the floor to speak is confined to compairatively few. In their anxiety to appear well to their deluded constituents their printed remarks (frequently gotten up by experts who tell them what to say and how to say it) are sent home and scattered broad-cast, just as if the speech had actually been delivered upon the floor of the House, and just as if the hearty applause, frequently given the speaker, had actually been given. Its funny how they do it, but they do.

Stober, Cameron's Candidate For State Senator, Defeated by 1,000 Votes.

A Lancaster dispatch to the *Philadelphia Times* says in effect: Returns as far as received, show that C. C. Kauffman, the anti-Cameron Candidate for State Senator, is nominated by about 1,000 majority over J. A. Stober.

The result shows that the Kauffman people were the better managers, even defeating Stober in what was deemed his strongholds.

For members of the legislature A. G. Seybert is nominated beyond doubt, in the northern district, while in the southern district Milton S. Eaby has been nominated.

The most significant fact is the waning prestige or influence of Cameron.

THE BRECKINRIDGE AND PULLARD CASE.

On the 14th inst. the most widely read breach of promise suit of our day, that between Madeline Pollard and Colonel Breckenridge, terminated in favor of Miss Pollard, who was given $15,000 as compensation. The jury took but one hour to deliberate upon all that was said *pro* and *con* during a period covering something over five weeks, and in which there was an apparent superfluity of mud-throwing, besides some shocking correct statements from both about tales of depravity quite characteristic of the reckless in Washington society. If Breckinridge did not betray Madeline, the jury found that he at least deceived her $15,000 worth; and we agree with the jury.

Washington papers report that, as usual in such cases in Washington, the court room was densely crowded. We know that if there is anything calculated to crowd a Washington court-room, it is a breach of promise case in which some ugly facts have come to the surface, and we must admit that a few of this kind have got there in this particular case. They did not all reach the surface through coercion either. It is not our purpose to harrass the finer sensibilities of the readers of THE COLUMBIAN by attempting to wade through all that this trial brought forth. But being engaged by our gentlemanly employer to fill space, our aim shall be to try to fill it with something of interest to the fastidious readers of THE COLUMBIAN. When the printers want copy the editor must either write or clip something. And unless the editor is blest with a fruitful imagination he must resort to all sorts of stuff to fill up when he don't want to clip. Now, if you will permit us to get a little away from our topic, we will say in regard to clipping the news instead of writing it, that it makes a difference with some folks who have the subscription to pay. You see, the one is easy and the other hard, and the subscriber generally knows the difference. He thinks he has a right to see the individuality of the editor, whether it be for the better or for the worse.

Now to return to our subject, and we admit to be rather the worse, we will only say in conclusion that report has it that the Representative of Kentucky people, Colonel Breckinridge, began to get nervous when the jury went out, and when they came in and gave their solemn verdict he felt so disappointed (apparently) that he began to inquire about a new trial. In fact his lawyer stood up and gave notice that a new trial would be asked for. Judge Bradley earnestly thanked the jury and adjourned the court. The $15,000 awarded Madeline will answer for pin money for some little time with economy.

Let us remind you that now is the time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf

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Depew for President.

ST. LOUIS, April 15—Chauncey M. Depew, who is in this city, announces himself a candidate for President of the United States. Mr. Depew, accompanied by Cornelius Vanderbilt and M. E. Ingall, president of the Big Four Railroad, reached here last night on a tour of inspection of the Vanderbilt properties. Speaking of the political questions now interesting the public mind, Mr. Depew said:

"Hill's recent speech on the tariff question undoubtedly voiced the unanimous sentiment of New York, with the possible exceptions of a very insignificant contingent of Democrats of that State. It is a mistake to suppose that Hill was forced into vigorous opposition of the income tax by the wealthy classes of New York. The other fellows—the fellows without a visible income are the ones responsible for Hill's attitude towards the income tax proposition."

The counterfeiter seems equal to the occasion whether our current money be paper or coin. Hitherto it has been claimed by our genuine money makers that the silk fibre paper upon which the genuine notes are printed is too much for the successful imitation of the most artistic counterfeiter. Now they have discovered their mistake about this. For several counterfeit $1 silver certificates, printed on silk fibre paper of fully as good quality as that used by the Government, have been discovered, after having been rather extensively circulated about Mahanoy City and elsewhere in Schuylkill County.

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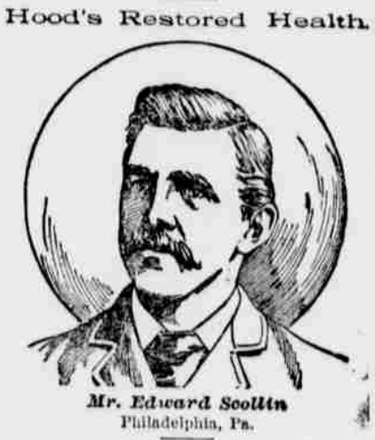

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Philadelphia, Pa.

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of my body seemed in a constant state of quivering agitation and tremulousness. Heat flashed from the calves of my legs up through my thighs and body; my left arm and hand felt as though on fire, and my head ached as if it would split when I stooped down. I had great pains in my back around the base of the spine. I continued to stick to my work, feeling that if I must again go down I would do so

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I have always been athletic, but I had lost all appetite, and my strength failed me; I was on the point of giving up. I had read much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, and concluded to give it a trial. Before I had taken half a bottle my appetite became so voracious that I would be compelled to eat between meals.

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Our Ginghams and Silks are elegant and of the latest style. You can't afford to put off the purchase of your Summer Dress Goods until the choices are gone, so purchase them now.

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GROCERIES.

Have you seen our boned chicken, turkey and game, also our deviled chicken, turkey, tongue and ham?

We sell the famous Blue Label Ketchup at 20 and 28 cts. a bottle.

Our feed and flour is the best. Bran $1.00, Shorts $1.00, Chop $1.20. Flour $3.00 per barrel.

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No Job Lots,

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Commencing Monday 19th and continuing 10 days. we will make rebate of from 10 to 20 per cent on every article in our

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If you want anything in Furniture for any room, Carpets, Curtains, Shades, Lamps, Mirrors, Dishes, Toilet Sets, &c.,

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You can't afford to buy any where else than from us. Our Prices were low before, but when we take off in many instances 20 per cent, it places our

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All you have to do is to prove this by coming and examining Goods.

Don't forget our Patterns are the newest and Goods the freshest, many of them having only been opened up this week.

We want your trade and it will be to your advantage to buy from us.

DON'T FORGET TIME.

See our Circulars
for full Particulars.

We've got the Goods, we want your Money.

SNYDER & MAGEE CO. LIM.

FOURTH AND MARKET STREETS,
BLOOMSBURG, - PA.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1894.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa as second class matter. March 1, 1888.

Legal advertisements are printed on the seventh page. tf.

The Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment of the Columbia County Court in the appeal of E. Keeler Co in the Fishing Creek Lumber Co. audit.

The steamboat Columbia has been put in the river. It was run to Northumberland and navigated the river from there. It will be kept at a wharf near the bridge.

H. J. Clark is now finishing a right handsome and convenient two story and attic frame house on East 4th Street between Iron and Centre. He is putting in all modern improvements.

Mathias Kindt, of Mordansville, while on his way to Pittsburg to visit a sick sister, fell dead at the hotel in Eyers Grove, Pa., on Monday morning, the 16th inst.

Pure blood means good health. Reinforce it with DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood, cures Eruptions, Eczema, Scrofula and all diseases arising from impure blood. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf

Right Reverend N. S. Rulison will visit St. John's Church, Catawissa, on Friday. St. Gabriel's, Sugarloaf, on Saturday, and will breach both morning and evening in St Paul's, Bloomsburg. The rite of confirmation will be administered here in the evening.

The program for the musicale in the Presbyterian church (auditorium) this Thursday evening, consists of mixed and female quartettes, vocal solos and duets, and choice selections by Prof. C. P. Elwell's orchestra. Admission 35 cents.

A recent letter from Dr. A. B. Jameson, of Washington, dated the 14 th inst, speaks of the opening buds and flowers already to be seen in the historically beautiful parks of Washington. We must wait until our snow is all gone before we can grow poetical about the flowers, and such, of springtime in this latitude.

Mr. S. L. Selleck, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Manufacturing Co., may be found on East Main Street, Bloomsburg, where he will be pleased to recieve patrons and offer inducements to all in need of sewing-machines. He assures fair dealing and competitive rates to all.

If dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain, you need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take DeWitt's. It recommends itself. —W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

In a brief interview with Mr. Herskovitch, editor of the Centralia *Journal*, who is the unfortunate guest of Mr. Mourey, Sheriff of Bloomsburg, our reporter (being something of a phrenologist, in his mind) elicited the frank confession from Mr. Herskovitch that it is difficult to know just when to drop the pen when writing under political excitement.

Francis P. Drinker, the President of Town Council, very wisely again admonishes our townsmen and women to beware of small pox. We think the efficacy of vaccination is sufficiently demonstrated to make it a safe guard, and that the sore arm resulting from vaccination is as nothing compared with small-pox, when a thousand little vaccinations assail the flesh at once.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the blood from impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf

J. R. Townsend is the leading Merchant Tailor of Columbia county. See his advertisement on fourth page. tf.

The Farmer's Hotel on Iron Street is among the many places brushing up in Bloomsburg. It is being painted and papered.

Compare values, as per census Bureau, of assessed valuation of real estate in places having 4,000 inhabitants:

Sunbury	$1,649,639
Danville	1,396,384
Shamokin	1,391,359
Bloomsburg (last but not least)	1,942,769

Little Girl (after waiting some time for dessert) "Grandpa, what do you have after dinner?"

Grandpa—"Dyspepsia, my dear."

Little Girl—"Oh, Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will cure that. 2t.

Under the masterly strokes of Messrs. Thos. Gorry's carpenters, and Wm. Bodine and others who painted and papered, THE COLUMBIAN printing office is now the neatest establishment of the kind that this section affords.

For the past week or more this office has been in a state of confusion, owing to the presence of carpenters, painters and paper hangers. The work is now completed, and we are now in possession of as neat, commodious and complete a printing office as there is in this end of the state. The public is invited to call and see it

What makes a house a home? The mother well, the children rosy, the father in good health and good humor. All brought about by the use of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

Fruit culture is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown, Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in the U. S., have a vacancy in this section. Write them at Rochester, N. Y., for their terms. 4-6-3m.

With the small-pox prevalent at points not very far distant up and down the river, and with numerous cases of measles and several of scarlet fever in our own town, it is about time for the Board of Health to get a move on.

John S. Williams has gained a wide reputation as an auctioneer. He has been crying sales of horses recently at Williamsport, Kingston and Berwick, and will go to New Bloomfield, Perry county, on the 30th inst. on similar business. Good prices are always realized at his sales.

As these are days of small margins in every line of business, this office is prepared to compete in prices, in all lines of printing, with any office in this section. As a sample, we quote envelopes with business card printed on corner, at $2.00 a thousand; statements, at $1.25; bill heads, 1.75 to 4.50, according to size and quality; Note heads, $2.00; and so on. These goods are of good quality, and answer every purpose. Of course, we have better stock at higher figures. Call and see samples and get prices. 2t.

Just as we had an idea that our doctors were thickening, so to speak, because of our numerous medical students; and just as we began to anticipate reduced doctor bills in consequence, word comes from Russia that they have but one doctor to every 6,000 persons. If the law of supply and demand holds good, and our superfluous doctors should emigrate to Russia to find employment, we can see no immediate escape from the present high protective tariff that the doctors impose upon us.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CLEVELAND, $100 to $150.
ROCHESTER, $85 to $125.
LOWELL, $25 to $115.
BINGHAMTON, $65.

I have just received the lightest and best Ladies' Wheel on the market. I refer to the

CLEVELAND NO. 10, Weight 26 Pounds.

Why should a Lady ride a Wheel weighing from 40 to 45 lbs. when she can get a wheel of this kind? A '93 PATTERN CLEVELAND, 31 POUNDS $75.

This is a bargain. Snap it up

W. S. RISHTON, | AGENT FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY. Opposite Post Office.

We met an aged and respected gentleman the other day, who remarked in connection with our connection with THE COLUMBIAN that he had taken the paper through all its devious ways, from Tate to Elwell, for about 50 years; and he left me under the impression that he had no immediate purpose to quit taking it now.

SPINK, SPUNK, SPANK.

A man by the name of Spink has married a lady by the name of Spunk and now a newspaper gramarian declines the lay thusly: Present tense, Spink; past, Spunk; future, Spank. What a horrible pun!—*Shickshinny Democrat.*

A Trotter.

George Aurand, proprietor of the Central Hotel, Bloomsburg, who owns the trotting horse "Grover," claims to have refused a cash offer of $1,000 for that animal last week.—*Weekly Tablet.*

Normal Concert.

All of our citizens who attended the Music Recital given some weeks ago by the music pupils of the Normal, doubtless will remember how well each and all acquited themselves.

On Saturday evening, April 21, the Musical Department of the Normal, under the very efficient leadership of Miss Rosa M. Haas, will give a concert in the auditorium.

The diagram is now open at Slate's bookstore. The admission has been placed at 30 cts.

A Prevarication.

According to latest chronological events, there is one editor in Heaven. How he got there is not surely known, but it is conjectured that he passed himself off for a minister and stepped in unsuspected. When the dodge was discovered, they searched the realms of felicity in all their length and breadth for a lawyer to draw up the papers for his ejectment, but they failed to find one, and of course the editor is still holding the fort.

HE PLUCKED THEM.

Mr. Thos. L. Plucker, of Philadelphia, as a committee of one representing the Organized Charties of the city, recently proceeded to pluck the charitably disposed by passing himself off as the nephew of the Mayor, and taking whatever was given to relieve the distressed. Considering himself first in this category, he seems to have husbanded all revenue thus collected until he was finally pulled in for forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses. Not peing the Mayor's nephew, in default of bail he went to jail.

BLOOMSBURG CAR COMPANY STORE.

We are desirous to make announcement in this entree to the trading community in general. Our talk will be brief, and, we trust, to the point. For want of space we will give you only a sketch of our large and varied stock of new goods.

We have just opened in the Lockard Building, No. 2, corner of Main and Centre streets. We purpose to keep the same goods as heretofore for our daily trade, but we shall add a large variety of dry goods in the best makes and latest designs. We have added to every department of our store the very best makes and latest designs and styles. We have just opened a large line of dress goods, such as Black Cashmeres, Henriettas, Satteens, Percales, Balistra Organda Lawns, Challies, Scotch and American Ginghams—in fact everything in the latest and best makes and designs of dry goods. Our Notion Department is full and complete, consisting of a full line of Laces, Embroideries, Silks, Silk Velvets, Velvet Trimmings, &c. Our Gents Furnishing Department is of the best and latest. We have just received a large invoice of Hats and Caps of latest styles. We will also open in a few days a large line of Mens, Women's and Misses Shoes, all the latest styles. Our Grocery Department has had a thorough overhauling with many new and popular goods added. We are second to none in our grocery department. Please give us a call. We will be pleased to show you our new quarters and our large and varied stock of new goods. With many thanks for liberal patronage in the past, we respectfully solicit your future patronage.

BLOOMSBURG CAR COMPANY STORE.

Deaths.

On March 30, at Stillwater, infant son of W. D. and Miram R. Creasy, aged 4 days.

In Orangeville, on April 4, Mrs. Regina Agnes Neyhard, wife of Isaiah Neyhard, aged 43 years and 25 days.

In Orangeville, on April 10, 1894, Mr. Perry E. Keller, aged 23 years and 17 days.

Creates health, creates strength, creates vigor; DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

Here are chances for three industrious young men who are willing to work hard. The Lockhaven Base Ball Club wants a pitcher, catcher, and third baseman.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

In making up a newspaper it is sometimes necessary to carry interesting correspondence, &c., over to next issue. Time of its arrival, space required, and the temporary or permanent application of the writing, necessarily enter into consideration. We mention it because we deem it due our worthy correspondents whose writings we generally appreciate.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office April 24, 1894.

Mr. Geo. Appleman, J. R. Greene, Miss Jessie Hock, Mrs. Maggie Kesney, Mr. Harvey Krum.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised April, 17, 1894. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

The theme of Dr. Graydon in the Y. M. C. A. hall, on last Monday night, was "Nursing from a Physician's Standpoint." While we could not help thinking the doctor's minute directions would be difficult to comply with in most cases, for want of means, yet we believe his remarks were all along the line of good advice, and well received generally. We think he, as a doctor, had the entire sympathy of the audience when he referred to the carelessness of some nurses in allowing a poultice to slide from the base of its proper location and put in its fine work somewhere else. The music furnished under direction of Mr. Elwell, organist of the Episcopal church, was well rendered and fully appreciated by the audience who returned a vote of thanks.

Money to Loan the First Tuesday of every month by the Industrial Building and Loan Association of Bloomsburg. Payments in the new series now open must be made May 1st. Eighty shares already subscribed in this series. Don't miss this opportunity to make a safe and profitable investment. Patronize your local association which is purely mutual and managed by well known business men of the town, because all the money paid in stays at home and is loaned out here thus improving your own locality. Investors pay $1.00 monthly on each share. Interest compounded twelve times annually. Matured value of each share $200. Application for stock can be made to

4 20 2t. A. N YOST, Secretary.

EGGS. EGGS.

Will sell, during May, eggs from our prize winning white Wyandottes and white Minorcas, at $1.50 per 13 delivered; Indian Game, $2.00; Pekin Bantams, $2.25. Orders booked in rotation. First come, first served. Order at once as number will be limited M. E. WALKER, JR., 4 20 2t Shickshinny, Pa.

—THE—

Nerve Tonic.

Meredith's Celery with Pepsin Bitters, is Non-Alcoholic. It is a true Nerve Tonic, an active Alterative, a reliable Laxative and Diuretic. It restores Strength, renews Vitality, Purifies the Blood, Regulates the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels. Price $1.00 per bottle at all druggists and groceries. If they don't have it, write to

G. W. Meredith & Co.,

Pittsburg, Pa., and they will see that you get it.

Sept. 8, 1 yr.

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IS THE TIME TO BUY

Wall Paper

- CHEAP! -

—AT—

W. H. SLATE'S BOOK & STATIONERY STORE.

Exchange Hotel Building,

Bloomsburg, - - - Pa.

Don't Cost anything to look.

FACTS

Speak Louder than Words.

LAST WEEK we advertised a Boy's Combination Suit—one coat, two pants and one hat—at **$3.50** and on which we had an immense sale. We are pleased to tell our customers that we received another large invoice of them this week.

One Coat, two pairs Pants and Hat, all to match, well made, fit perfect, sizes 7 to 14,

$3.50

FOR ALL.

Those Boys, age 4 to 14, Knee Pants Suits, at

$1.50 AND $1.90,

are certainly remarkable values. $2.50 and 2.75 would be more the right price.

We've better grades, lots of them, as high as $8.00, and no tastier assortment is found in the largest cities.

Of our Men's Clothing we have very little to say, only that they make fast friends of their wearers.

Our Boy's (15 to 20) Suits are extremely nice. Coats cut in the very latest styles and trousers nice and wide with side pockets.

We would be pleased to have you call before making a purchase.

J. M. Gidding & Co.,

CLOTHIERS,

OPPOSITE BLOOMSBURG BANKING CO., BLOOMSBURG, PA.

and two doors below post office.

Base ball and bat with every knee pants suit.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

MARKET SQUARE DRY GOODS STORE.

Ladies', Misses', Children's Spring Coats and Capes.

More and more *styles* and *varieties* of *wash goods* are shown every week on our tables. *You must have a dress this spring*—get it early while the goods are new and prices low. We name a few of the latest arrivals: Figured Dimity, Crepe Moire, Irish Lawn, Henrietta Satines, Crepon ette, Russian Duck, 36 inch Percales, Toil-du-Nord, Sea Island Zephyr, Light and Dark Challies, with plain black stripe, and figured Sateens, Seersuckers, Dress Ginghams, &c., &c. The word *save* is one thing that makes our store popular. We help you to save whereever it is possible. If you are in need of *underwear* we have just a new lot in. 5c. Apron Gingham. 20 yards good muslin, $1.00. *Terms cash.*

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

JONES & WALTER

Are now prepared to meet the wants of the people in foot wear. Our stock is full and complete, comprising some of the best makes in the country. We guarantee prices to be as low as the lowest, and our goods to be as represented. Our motto:

"Honest Goods at Fair Prices."

Call and see us. We will try to please you.

JONES & WALTER.

Dentler's old stand, Main Street, Bloom.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENTS.

The following widows' appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court on the first Monday of May A. D. 1894, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter will be confirmed absolute.

1. G. W. Adams, dec'd, estate, Locust township. Personalty, $99.85. Realty, $200.15. Total, $300.00.
2. Samuel W. Kester, dec'd, estate, Millville. Realty, $300.00.
3. Phineas Smith, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $13.63. Cash, $286.37. Total, $300 00.
4. Peter Cole, dec'd, estate, Millville. Personalty, $10.25.
5. R. M. Reeder, dec'd, estate, Franklin township. Personalty, $300 00.
6. C. L. Belles, dec'd, estate, Benton township. Personalty, $300.00.
7. David Kreisher, dec'd, estate, Cleveland township. Personalty, $300.00.
8. J. S. Yohe, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $89.00.
9. John J. Karns, dec'd, estate, Benton township. Realty, $300.00.
10. John Michael, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $209.30. Realty, $90.70. Total, $300.00.
11. William S. Hess, dec'd, estate, Centre township. Personalty, $300.00.

G. M. QUICK, Clerk O. C.

HIRES' Rootbeer

makes the home circle complete. This great Temperance Drink gives pleasure and health to every member of the family. A 25c. package makes 5 gallons. Be sure and get the genuine.

Sold everywhere. Made only by

The Chas. E. Hires Co., Philada.

Send 2c. stamp for beautiful Picture Cards and Book.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

When milk is used in tumblers wash them first in cold water, afterwards rinse in hot water.

To remove rust from flat irons, soak them in or rub them with kerosene, and polish with scouring brick.

Cut a piece from the top of old kid shoes and insert it inside the iron holder you are going to make.

Red pepper is considered by physicians to be much more wholesome than either black or white pepper.

To relieve chilblains soak the feet in hot water and rub them with kerosene, or with kerosene and lime water.

Tomatoes have valuable medicinal properties, especially for those whose constitutions have been injured by the use of mercury.

A correspondent of the London "Lancet" points out that when sugar is partly burned in a gas flame it is destructive to mice.

Mrs. Lee, of the "Prairie Farmer," thinks the best way to prepare pumpkins for winter use is to stew and can them as we do fruit. Put up in this way she considers them just as good as the fresh pumpkins.

A very nice way to cook eggs is to bake them. To do this, butter a tin or the gem tins, break in the eggs, give them just a sprinkle of salt, and the least bit of pepper, put a bit of butter on each, and place in the oven.

Sweet potatoes are nice boiled until tender and then pared and cut lengthwise into two or three slices, according to the size of the potatoes. Spread each slice with butter, sprinkle with salt and a very little pepper and put into the oven and brown.

A mixture of coffee and chocolate is one of the odd drinks that are occasionallly ordered at hotels. The combination is supposed to preserve the virtues of both ingredients, and to be less injurious to persons of nervous temperament, than coffee alone.

The best way of treating a stove that has not been blackened for some time is to rub it well with a newspaper, adding just a little clean grease of almost any kind. It will soon take a polish after a few treatments of this sort.

Medicines, in the form of tinctures, that have stood in the family medicine chest for a long time, should be administered with the greatest care. The alcohol readily evaporates, leaving the drug in form of a concentrated tincture, and the ordinary dose of which might produce very serious if not fatal results.

Rice water is recommended in which to wash challies. Boil one pound of rice in five quarts of water. Cool it to the tepid point, then put in the goods and wash well, using the rice as soap. Pour off the water, leaving the rice sediment. Rub the challie well in the poured-off water. Use no clean water, but hang the material to dry direct from the rice water.

This is Mrs. Cora Blackman's recipe for beef omelet: Mix together the following ingredients: Three pounds of canned beef, chopped fine, three eggs, one large cupful of rolled cracker, one tablespoonful of salt, one teaspoonful pepper, one tablespoonful sifted sage, one tablespoonful melted butter. Bake one and one-quarter hours, with a pan inverted over the dish, basting occasionally.

Long hair should never be shampooed more than once a month. Some people think that by brushing and caring well for the hair a shampoo once a year is sufficient; but a few people, especially those whose hair is naturally oily, believe in this advice. Brushing stimulates the growth of the hair and makes it glossy and soft. It also stops the hair from falling out, and is the best tonic for the scalp.

When fish are required for broiling a bed of glowing red coals should be ready, so that the fish shall not taste smoky, and and the grid iron should be well greased with a bit of fat to prevent from sticking. This process ought not to require more than from fifteen to twenty minutes, but the fish must not be held too near the fire or they will be scorched; and when they are done, they should be sprinkled with salt and served at once.—Boston Cooking School.

Helping the Unemployed.

She is a dear little woman with a heart seven sizes too large for her, and that is the reason why her best friends have to listen to a pathetic recital that runs something like this:

"I have a first-class modiste who makes my gowns. She is perfectly satisfactory, but, of course, has more work than she can really attend to. So the other day I said to myself: 'Now, Nina dear, you are ridiculously selfish. Here you are paying a woman untold wealth to make your dresses, while there are hundreds of poor women who are actually suffering for work. There is no sense in giving money to a woman who has plenty already, when it might just as well go to some deserving unfortunate whom it will assist.'

"Well, the upshot of it all was that I rushed down town to one of those aid association places, and engaged a poor woman to come to the house. That was three days ago, I believe, and for just three days that poor, unfortunate woman has had my undivided attention. I feel so sorry for her that I'm positively wretched and melancholy. I can't even sleep nights I worry so. Whenever I notice that she looks especially tired I run and fix her a cup of tea. We haven't accomplished much sewing; it has taken all her time to give me the details of her misfortunes, and it has taken all my time to sympathize with her. She doesn't look very strong, so I make her rest as much as she will. When I left home this afternoon I had her propped up on the sofa and reading 'Dodo.' She is just as nice as she can be, and I'm so glad to help somebody. I'm down town now to buy a dress—I've given nearly all of mine to her, and I'm inclined to believe that if she keeps on telling me those harrowing stories about her husband who is dead and her little boy who is blind in one eye, I'll certainly not have a decent rag left."

And the bighearted little woman swished out her handkerchief and touched it across a pair of blue eyes that looked suspiciously moist.—Chicago Record.

The dainty pongee silks will be among the favorite spring novelties.

THAT MAXIM BOY.

The Great Gun Inventor Was a Terror in His Youth.

When Hiram Maxim, the famous inventor, lived in Sangerville anxious mammas used to warn their hopefuls not to play with "that wicked Maxim boy." In fact, young Hiram grew up under the doubtful reputation of being the very worst boy in the neighborhood. This isn't said for the purpose of encouraging any other Maine incorrigibles who are in the depths of their misdeeds. If Hiram had been a perfectly good little boy and had devoted his time to studying his lessons he might have had that flying machine all completed by this time.

Hiram used to work at carriage painting in Abbot, and was hired by D. D. Flynt. He was an artist with a brush. One day a man called to see Flynt while the latter was out.

"There's been a man in to see you," said young Maxim.

"What's his name?"

"I don't know, but that's how he looked," and the boy pointed to a board on which he had roughly daubed a face. "I forgot to ask him his name," said the boy, "and so I drew that." Flynt knew his man.—Lewiston Journal.

She Wanted to Know.

He (inclined to stay late)—Ah, Miss Dearone! I dweam of thee—

She (incredulously)—You do, Mr. Staylots? When, pray?—Truth.

What He Could Do.

The mission worker had a lot of boys from the street before him, trying to see what their capacities were for other work than wandering. He had called up several and questioned them, and came next to a red-headed urchin of about twelve. As the boy rose to be put through the course, one of the other boys prodded him with a pin. He jumped, of course, but being on his good behavior he managed to suppress his feelings, though it could be plainly seen that he was almost at the limit.

"You want to work, too, do you?" asked the missionary kindly.

The boy merely nodded.

"What can you do?" inquired the missionary.

The boy could hold in no longer.

"I kin lick de stuffin' out of de kid wot sticked me wid a pin, and I'm goin' to do it," he burst forth, and a few minutes later the job had been done thoroughly.

A Sure Sign.

The business man suspected that one of his clerks was doing more gambling than was good for him, and he sent an employe to investigate. He made his report very soon.

"Well," asked the employer. "what did you learn?"

"That he bets some."

"A great deal?"

"Oh, no, only a little?"

"How do you know?"

"Well, I asked him about a game of poker he sat in the night before, and he said, 'Yes, I was there and I won twenty-five dollars.'"

"I should say that indicated he was very deep in it," exclaimed the horrified employer.

'Quite the contrary," dissented the investigator. "If he had been at it very long he never would have said, 'I won twenty-five,' but 'I win twenty-five.' That's the only genuine sign of a veteran at the business."

Economy.

"Aren't those just lovely towels, dear?" said young Mrs. Fitts to her husband. "I got them for nine cents, and the regular price is eleven."

"That's right, pet. I am glad to see you are so economical. But what is the matter with your hat?"

"Oh, it got smashed all to pieces in the rush at the bargain counter. I guess you will have to let me have the money to get a new one, dear."

Convinced by Conscience.

Grandma has often said to Tommy that when anything tells him to hesitate when he is about to do wrong it is his conscience. One day the little fellow came in and said:

"Grandma, I was going to fight Johnny Juddy this morning, but my conscience, as you call it, said something that held me back."

"It did?" returned grandma. "I suppose it told you how wicked it was to fight?"

"Well, no, grandma. It said, 'Look how much bigger John Juddy is than you are!"

Why He was in Haste.

"Hold on," said Brown to an acquaintance the other morning, "I want to speak to you."

"Sorry," said the other, "but really, old man, I must hurry to the office. Can't wait a minute."

"You don't mean to say," said Brown, "that you have business enough to put you in such a rush?"

"Business? Who said anything about business? There are four of us in the office and only three chairs. If I don't get down there rightoff, I shall have to stand up all day. Ta, ta."

Under Them Circumstances.

The tramp got away from the dog, but the dog got half of his wearing apparel as he cleared the gate.

"Why didn't you run when you seen him comin'? inquired his partner when they had reached a safe place.

"Run nothin'," he said indignantly. "Under them circumstances what a man needs is wings."

Financial Grammar.

Teacher—In the sentence "Time is money," can you parse money?

Scholar—Yes'm, if it is good money.

MORE PENSIONERS NOW.

A Decision That Will Materially Enlarge the List.

Assistant Secretary Reynolds, of the Interior Department, announced a decision of great importance to a meritorious class of claimants for pensions.

The decision will admit to the rolls the names of a large number of insane, idiotic or permanently helpless minor children of deceased soldiers whose pensions had ceased by their attaining the age of 16 prior to the passage of the act of June 27, 1890.

The claim under which this decision was rendered was that of Harrison F. Loeb, of Bucks county, Pa., whose father was killed in action at the battle of Gettysburg, while serving in Company H, One Hundred and fifty-first Pennsylvania infantry. The minor became sixteen years of age June 9th, 1879. On December 9, 1891, his claim, on his account of permanent helplessness, was filed under the provisions of the act of June 27, 1890, and rejected April 11, 1892, upon the ground that he was over sixteen years of age at the date of filing the claim.

Secretary Reynolds in reversing the former rulings of the department and admitting these claims held that in this and like cases "where, under the general law, the pension of minor children who were insane, idiotic or permanently helpless has terminated by reason of attaining their pensionable majority prior to passage of act of June 27, 1890 the pension may be renewed from the date of filing application therefore under said act upon proof of continued and uninterrupted insanity, idiocy or helplessness."

In commenting upon the former ruling the Secretary says:

"It would seem that little further than a careful reading of the act itself would be sufficient to demonstrate the fact that this law has been misconstrued to the grievous harm of a class of the nation's dependents who should receive, as the law intended they should, the most benevolent consideration

No other interpretation of the law is consistent with justice, reason and the express terms of the statute.

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JOHN M. CLARK,
Apr. 13. Secretary.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia Co., Pa., the undersigned, trustee, will expose to Public sale on the premises at ten o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1894,

The following described real estate late of Augusta Beeler, deceased, to-wit:

All the right, title and interest late of the said Augusta Beeler, in that certain lot of ground situate in Jamison City, Sugarloaf township, Columbia County and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: on the north by lot of Catharine M. Pennington, on the east by Broad street, on the south and west by alleys, being forty feet in front on Broad street and one hundred and fifty feet deep, on which are erected a two-story

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SHERIFF'S SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, MAY 7th, 1894,

at 2 o'clock p. m. the following:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Francis Evans, on the east by land of Jeremiah Bomboy, on the south by public road leading from Martz' church to Berwick, and on the west by a private road and lands of Bradley Meixell, containing

NINETY-SEVEN ACRES,

more or less, whereon is erected a

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SNYDER, EVANS, } Att'ys. JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Flur. Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia Co., Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, MAY 7, 1894,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that messuage, piece or lot of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Pine alley, on the east by lot of Sarah A. Fetrican, on the south by Third street and on the west by an alley, being Fifty feet in front and Forty feet in the rear, and Two Hundred and Six feet be the same more or less in depth, whereon is erected a two-story

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JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.
BARKLEY, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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MONDAY, MAY 7, 1894,

At 2 o'clock p. m. the following:

All that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Berwick, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner of lot No. eighteen on Smith street, thence by lot No. eighteen one hundred and seventy-three feet to an alley, thence by said alley forty-nine and one-half feet to lot No. twenty, thence by lot No. twenty one hundred and seventy-three feet to Smith street, thence by Smith street forty-nine and one-half feet to place of beginning, said lot being lot No. nineteen in Smith addition to the town of Berwick, whereon is erected a

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE

and other outbuildings.

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EVANS, JOHN MOUREY,
Attorney. Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, MAY 7th, 1894,

At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain house and lot situate in the borough of Millville, county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lot of Howard Greenly, on the east by Centre street, on the south by lot of Wilson Kinney, and on the west by an alley, containing about

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By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, MAY 7th, 1894,

At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain messuage, piece or parcel of land situate in Orange township, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone in a public road, thence by same and land of George Hidlay north sixty-seven degrees east twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of Josiah Summers south thirteen degrees east twenty-nine perches to a stone, thence by land of Benjamin Drake south seventy degrees west twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of McClure Drake north thirty degrees west twenty-seven and nine-tenth perches to place of beginning, containing

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LITTLE, JOHN MOUREY,
Attorney, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Vend Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., on

MONDAY, MAY 7th 1894,

At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Greenwood township, county of Columbia, State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Matthew McHenry, on the east by Robert Edgar's heirs, on the south by land of Elizabeth Kline and on the west by lands of John Rantz, said to contain about

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TRUSTEE'S SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Columbia County, the undersigned Trustee appointed to sell the real estate of Robert Miller, late of the township of Madison, said County, deceased, will expose to public sale, on the premises, in Madison township, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1894,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the ollowing described real estate, to-wit: All that certain tract of land situate in Madison township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands late of Jacob Shoemaker, on the west by lands of John Christie, on the south by lands of Amos Heller, and on the east by lands of Erastus Hendershott, containing

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Locust—Elias Whitner, Jacob Miller.
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Beaver—A. G. Pettit.
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Berwick—Adam Shallar, W. A. Ross.
Bloom—A. M. Derr, Wm. Swentzell, Jacob Millard, C. E. Winner, J. B. Kramer.
Catawissa—Alfred Bower, Wm. E. Eyer. H. F. Clark, Geo. H. Sharpless.
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Cleveland—John Gable.
Conyngham—Wm. Flannagan.
Fishingcreek—Jesse Runyan.
Franklin—Washington Parr.
Greenwood—Tillman Stadler, Geo. B. Appleman.
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Locust—John Billig.
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Rhinard, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the executor of said decedent, as per his first and partial account, will sit at the office of Hon. Grant Herring in the town of Bloomsburg, on Friday the 4th day of May, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties having claims against the estate must present them, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund. CHAS. C. EVANS,
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STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	6 20	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	...	.....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	....	5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5
Catawissa	7 05	2 25	10 39	6
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 46
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 50
Briarcreek	7 41	....	.....	6 56
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 28	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 17
Pittston	9 06	4 29	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	M

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	.....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 34
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 26	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 33	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 14
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 21	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 53
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 38	8 43
Chulasky	9 03	....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07
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1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 10:05 p. m.; Baltimore 7:20 p. m.; Washington 8:37 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 11:15 p. m. New York 3:53 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:17 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7:33 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a m-Train 4 (daily) for Harrisburg and Intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a m., New York 9:31 a. m., weekdays; 10:35 a. m., Sunday. Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:40 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

1:35 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars to Buffalo and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m —Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:44 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Ralston and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.-Train 13 daily for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

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Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:58 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m, Philadelphia 12: 5 p. m, Washington 11:05 a. m., Baltimore 12:00 noon, (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:39 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 2.10 p. m., weekdays 2:00 p. m. Sunday. Philadelphia 4:40 p. m. weekdays; 4.30 p. m. Sunday. Washington 3:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:12 p. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 9:25 p. m Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:00 p. m, Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:10 p. m., Baltimore 8:15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 a. m. weekdays, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10.40 p. m., Baltimore 11:40 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:08 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:47 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:33 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 8:00 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9.55 a m.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.
Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 4:40 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:03 p. m., Sunbury 7:00 p. m.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County, Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

EAST BENTON.

Gen. Coxey's army was rechristened during the deep snow. Instead of the army of Commonweal, it is now the army of Common Woe.

The fruit thus far suffered no harm from the late blizzards.

Winter grain, though not luxuriant, yet promises a fair yield.

Samuel P. Krickbaum is quite indisposed by reason of rheumatic and kidney troubles.

A carpet rag cutting bee, was the novelty during the recent terrible snow storm at Geo. H. Gibbons.

Philip Gibbons is about himself again after a siege of measles and rheumatic attacks.

Judge Krickbaum had another visitation by a pair of quacks, representing themselves as specialists, special tramps rather so called.

Winter lingers in the lap of spring, and in consequence hay and feed for stock are becoming very short.

Considerable plowing has been done by the early farmer's. Afternoon farmer's have not accomplished much yet.

The various Sunday Schools have been reorganized and are in full and prospering order.

Nathan Yost, of New Columbus, is complaining with nervous rheumatism.

Mrs. Judge Krickbaum's hired girl is just emerging from the land of measles.

Our public schools have now all closed. Long terms, high salaries and free text books are quite a relief to the tax payers. The relief consists in the fact that they know that they are here to stay.

All of our new neighbors have now settled to business.

The Holy Communion of the Lord's Supper will be administered at St. James on Sunday, 10.15 a. m. April 29th.

J. N. Shultz, the new east-end Supervisior has commenced operations on the roads. A section of miry road was split open and an underground drain put in, after which it was stoned.

This new work was recommended as an experiment. If it proves successful and efficient, more of our roads will be treated in like manner.

We are glad to learn that our friend I. J. Jamison has secured a position in the COLUMBIAN office.

ESPY.

Clark Kline has recently built a new wire fence about his property.

Joseph Berlin has been having a severe time with his toot.

Miss Bell Ruckel is just recovering from an attack of the measles.

Mrs. Geisinger opened the ice-cream season on last Saturday eve.

Mr. Purman, of Boston, our new landlord, has taken possession of the hotel. His family will follow in May.

Mrs. James Miller has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

The workmen on the Hummel vault at the cemetery are staying at the hotel.

We understand that John Reynolds has got his new road invention about completed.

LIGHT STREET.

Willie, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hagenbuch, has so far recovered from an attack of Diptheria as to be about the house again.

M. E. Seybert, who has been confined to the house for some time from lung trouble, at this writing is improving.

Alfred Kline moved on Thursday last to property lately purchased of M. L. Pettit.

The painters are putting on the finishing touches at the M. E. Church, which it is expected will be re-dedicated on Sunday next.

We are informed by some of the old residents of town that forty years ago on the 16th of this month a snow fell comparing fully with the snow of last week.

Jos. Wardin made a flying trip to town on Monday. He is located at Berwick.

Mr. Hinterliter, of Catawissa, the young man who was hurt in the recent runaway at Espy, drove to town on Tuesday.

Miss Sue Potter, of Bloomsburg, spent Sunday and Monday with B. W. Drake's.

The beautiful weather of Monday and Tuesday almost brought the spring fever. The farmer's are busy getting the ground in shape for spring crops, hence welcome such weather.

Mrs. Wm. Mather, of Benton, is the guest of Mrs. G. P. Reighard.

Services will be held in the M. E. Church at Light Street on next Sunday as follows:

Preaching at 10 o'clock A. M.

Sunday School and Epworth League, 3 P. M.

Evening preaching, at 7.30 P. M.

Dr. Gray, of Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, and Rev. Crosthwait will be present.

Married.

On Saturday evening, March 31st, 1894, at the residence of the bride's father, Locust township, by Wm. B. Snyder, J. P., Chas. H. Hill, of Roaringcreek township, to Miss Mary A Hower, of Locust township, all of Columbia county, Penna.

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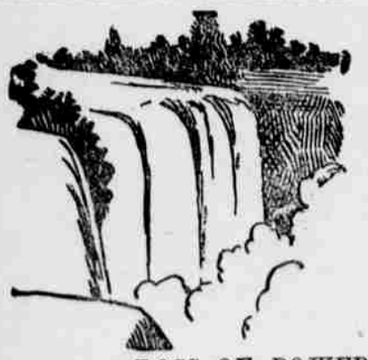

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There is in fact generally too much disregard of either law or equity in filling the minor offices. Whether compatible or incompatible is seldom taken into the consideration in the rural districts, where it frequently happens that the man who can get the most holds the most offices, and his sovereign right to do so is seldom questioned if he gets the majority vote for the office.

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PROF. CALEF'S TEST.

Drives Blindfolded to Addison G. Marr's Law Office.

Prof. Calef gave one of his celebrated driving tests between 11:30 and 12:30 to-day in the presence of a large number of people. He drove from the City hotel down Shamokin street to Independence and in ten minutes from the time of leaving the hotel he found a ten cent piece, which had been placed in a sliding panel in A. G. Marr's law office. The great and mystifying performance was greeted with applause. Everything pertaining to the test was honorably performed.

At 11:30 Messrs. Henry Hover, of the *Daily News*, Lawyer J. Q. Adams, H. G. Steel and J. F. Haas, of the *Daily Herald*, entered Prof. Calef's room at the City. Mr. Adams, as notary public had the committee of above gentlemen, including himself, affirm that they would perform their duty honestly to themselves and Prof. Calef. A double carriage was in waiting and Messrs. Adams, Steele and Hoover left the room to hide an article. Mr. Haas guarded the professor.

Mr. Adams and party drove down Shamokin street and stopped at Shissler's drug store, after which they drove down Spurzheim to Rock and Independence and placed the ten-cent piece as has been already stated.

Then they drove to the hotel and were admitted to the room by Mr. Haas, after which the mind reader was blindfolded. A map of the borough suspended from the wall. The professor, with a lead pencil, traced the route traversed by the committee and pointed the exact block and lot on which Mr. Marr's office stood. While doing the tracing the mind reader grasped each of the committeeman's hand alternately.

The entire party left the room and entered the conveyance. The professor drove and stopped for a brief period at Dreher's Bros., Chris Lessig's and N. Schneider's after which he entered Mr. Marr's office and while holding Mr. Adam's hand made the marvellous discovery. Tomorrow night he performs in the Opera House.

The above is taken from the Shamokin *Herald* of last Saturday. Prof. Calef will give entertainments in the Opera House next Monday and Tuesday nights, and will give his wonderful driving test on Monday at 12 o'clock noon, starting from the Exchange Hotel. The evening entertainments consist of mind reading, sleight of hand, spiritulistic exposures, and other similar feats. Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

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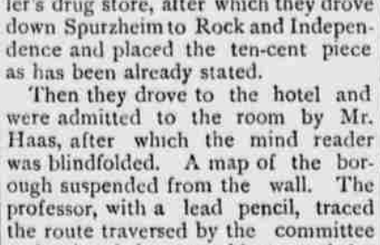

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